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ANOTHER WORLD By Joe Jackson

I was so low People almost made me give up trying Always said no Then I turned around and saw someone smiling

Chorus
I stepped into
I stepped into
Into another
Into another
I stepped into
I stepped into
Into another
Into another
Into another
Into another

There was no light
I was going to all the wrong places
Like day from night
Suddenly I saw a thousand faces

Chorus

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ANOTHER WORLD









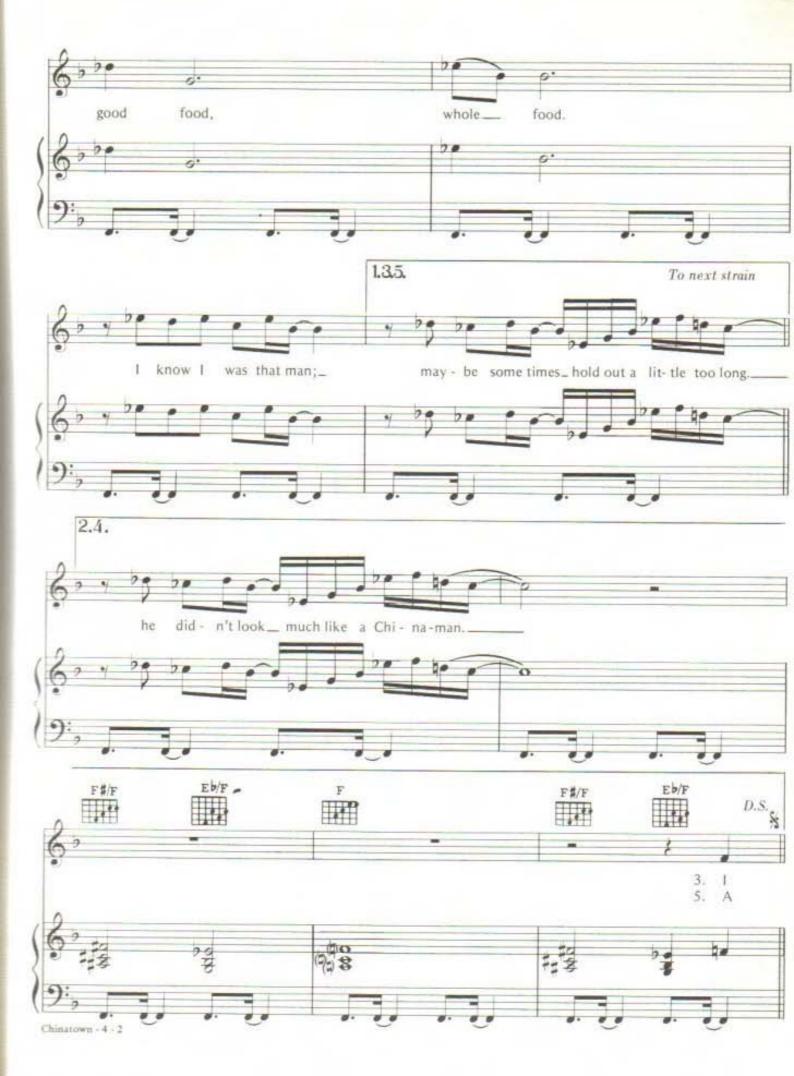
Verse 2:
There was no light;
I was going to all the wrong places.
Like day from night, suddenly
I saw a thousand faces.

(To Chorus:)

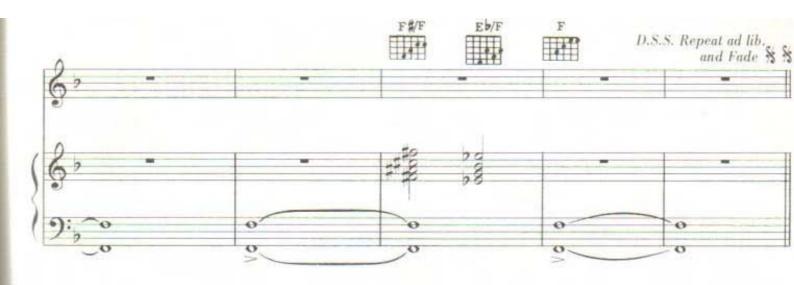




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Verse 3:
I took a right,
Then I took a wrong turn.
Someone asked me for a quarter.
It didn't seem to fit;
He didn't look much like a Chinaman.
(To Chorus:)

Verse 1:
An old black man
Pushed a shopping trolley
Filled with tin cans;
Avoided his glance.
I'm nervous and I'm lost,
And I don't see too many restaurants.

Verse 5:
A guy laid out
With a knife in his back.
A cop came along;
Told him, move on,
Go home and sleep it off.
I didn't know if I should get involved.
(To Chorus:)

CHINATOWN By Joe Jackson

Chorus
Trying to find Chinatown
Trying to find Chinatown

A hungry man
Can hold out a long time
For some soul food
Good food, whole food
I know I was that man
Maybe sometimes hold out a little too long

I took a right
Then I took a wrong turn
Someone asked me for a quarter
It didn't seem to fit
He didn't look much like a Chinaman

Chorus
An old black man
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Verse 2:

We don't move;

We send out for food, get the news on video.

I can prove

There's no need for movies, we got HBO.

In the

T.V. age.

Bridge 2:

They're taking over, And I believe the aliens have to take a physical

Form on our planet; -- so why not one with 13 channels?

Bridge 3:

They're out there somewhere.

(Begin Instrumental Solo)

Verse 3:

Times must change;

This ain't the stone age; we don't have rocks in our heads.

What's so strange?

We don't work no more, so why get out of bed?

Verse 4:

T.V. rules;

Pretty soon you won't be able to turn it off at all.

All of you fools;

Then it'll turn you off, your backs against the wall. In the

T.V. age.

T.V. AGE

Music by Joe Jackson and Steve Tatler Lyrics by Joe Jackson

As one man — (remote control buttons in our sweaty little hands) Here we stand -We don't move (we're lining up and waiting for someone's command)

(we send out for food, get the news on video) can prove -

(there's no need for movies, we got HBO)

In the T.V. age

They're out there somewhere

...who are you anyway?) but what makes you think it gives a shit about you (you know the force has got a lot of power

They're taking over

so why not one with 13 channels... a physical form on our planet — They're out there somewhere (and I believe — the aliens have to take

we don't have rocks in our heads) so why get out of bed) What's so strange — Times must change (we don't work no more (this ain't the stone age

All you tools — T.V. rules — In the - T.V. age (pretty soon you won't be able to turn it off at all) (then it'll turn you off — your backs against the wall)

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TARGET

By Joe Jackson

No one's fussy I'm a target No one's fussy I'm a target Black, white - day, night Uptown — Downtown Chorus

Somebody say I'm crazy Say you can't be too careful But that won't do no good Walking in this neighbourhood

But any part of town Shake my hand then gun me down Someone could smile at me then I'm no one specia

Somebody say I'm crazy Chorus

Cot to either swim or drown I say maybe you're just lazy Living in this crazy town

I know what I'm doing Takes my nerve away But then something happens I'm happy day to day

Chorus

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Target - 5 - 4



I know what I'm doing; I'm happy day to day; But then something happens Takes my nerve away.

STEPPIN' OUT By Joe Jackson

Now —
The mist across the window hides the lines
But nothing hides the colour
Of the lights that shine
Electricity so fine
Look and dry your eyes

We —
So tired of all the darkness in our lives
With no more angry words to say
Can come alive
Get into a car and drive
To the other side

Chorus
Me babe — steppin' out
Into the night
Into the light
You babe — steppin' out
Into the night
Into the light
We —
Are young but getting old before our time
We'll leave the T.V. and the radio behind
Don't you wonder what we'll find
Steppin' out tonight

You —
Can dress in pink and blue
Just like a child
And in a yellow taxi turn to me and smile
We'll be there in just a while
If you follow me

Chorus

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STEPPIN' OUT







BREAKING US IN TWO



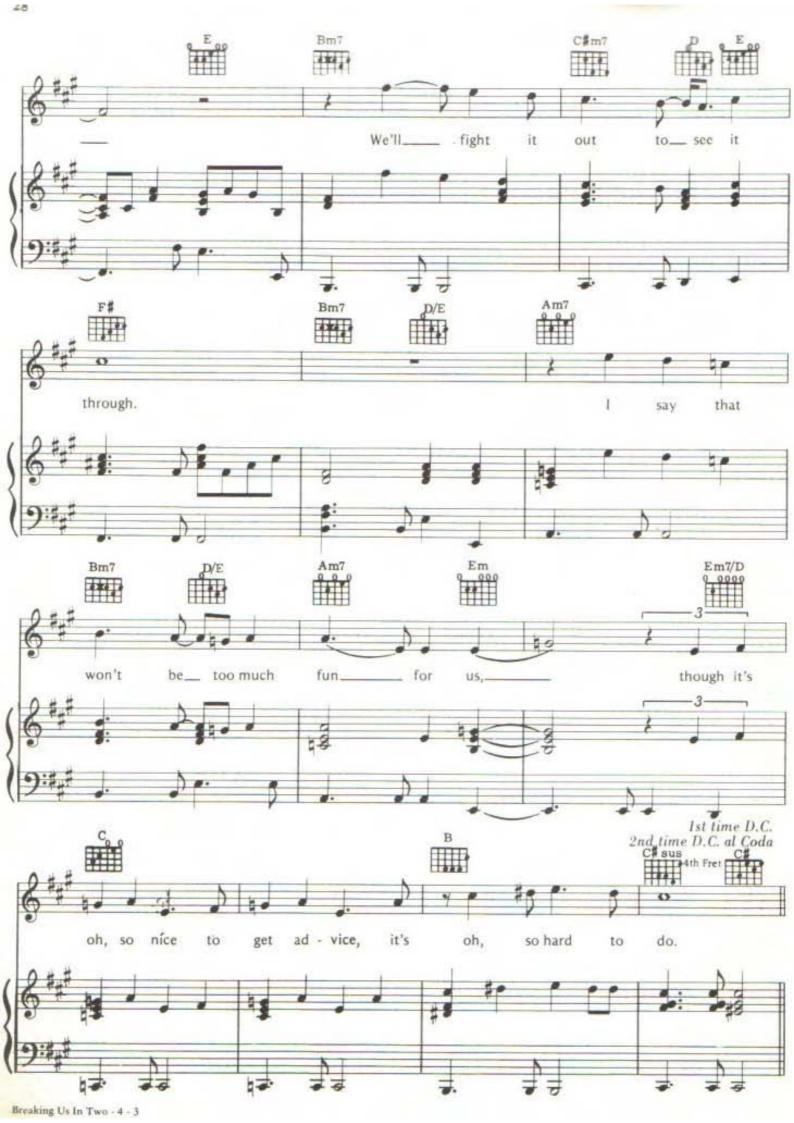
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Breaking Ur In Two 4-2





Verse 2:
You and I could never live alone,
But don't you feel like breaking out
Just one day on your own?
Why does what I'm saying hurt you?
I didn't say that we were through;
Always something breaking us in two.

Verses 3 & 5:

Could we be much closer if we tried?
We could stay at home and stare
Into each other's eyes.
Maybe we could last an hour.
Maybe then we'd see right through;
Always something breaking us in two.

BREAKING US IN TWO By Joe Jackson

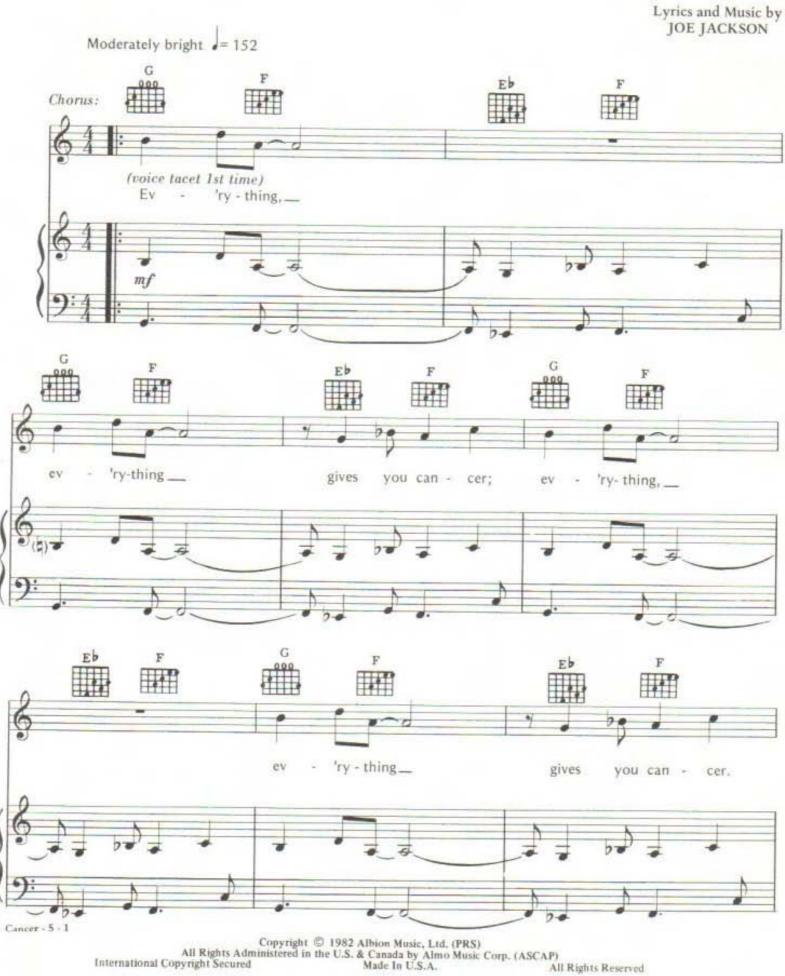
Don't you feel like trying something new
Don't you feel like breaking out
Or breaking us in two
You don't do the things that I do
You want to do things I can't do
Always something breaking us in two

You and I could never live alone
But don't you feel like breaking out
Just one day on your own
Why does what I'm saying hurt you
I didn't say that we were through
Always something breaking us in two

The way two hearts should beat as one for us
We'll fight it out to see it through
I say that won't be too much fun for us
Though it's oh so nice to get advice
It's so hard to do

Could we be much closer if we tried
We could stay at home and stare
Into each other's eyes
Maybe we could last an hour
Maybe then we'd see right through
Always something breaking us in two

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Verse 2: Don't work by night; Don't sleep by day. You'll feel all right, But you will pay.

No caffeine, No protein, No booze or Nicotine. Remember:

Verse 3: (Instrumental Solo)

No caffeine, No protein, No booze or Nicotine. Remember:

CANCER By Joe Jackson

Chorus
Everything
Everything gives you cancer
Everything
Everything gives you cancer
There's no cure, there's no answer
Everything gives you cancer

Don't touch that dial Don't try to smile Just take this pill It's in your file

Don't work hard Don't play hard Don't plan for the graveyard Remember —

Chorus

Don't work by night Don't sleep by day You'll feel all right But you will pay

No caffeine No protein No booze or nicotine Remember —

REAL MEN By Joe Jackson

Take your mind back — I don't know when Sometime when it always seemed To be just us and them Girls that wore pink and boys that wore blue Boys that always grew up Better men than me and you.

What's a man now — what's a man mean Is he rough or is he rugged Is he cultural and clean Now it's all change — it's got to change more 'Cause we think it's getting better But nobody's really sure

Chorus
And so it goes — go round again
But now and then we wonder
Who the real men are

See the nice boys — dancing in pairs Golden earring golden tan Blow-wave in the hair Sure they're all straight — straight as a line All the gays are macho Can't you see the leather shine

You don't want to sound dumb —
Don't want to offend
So don't call me a faggot
Not unless you are a friend
Then if you're tall and handsome and strong
You can wear the uniform and I could play along

Chorus

Time to get scared — time to change plan
Don't know how to treat a lady
Don't know how to be a man
Time to admit — what you call defeat
'Cause there's women running past you now
And you just drag your feet

Man makes a gun — man goes to war Man can kill and man can drink And man can take a whore Kill all the blacks — kill all the reds And if there's war between the sexes Then there'll be no people left

Chorus

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Verse 2:

What's a man now; what's a man mean? Is he rough or is he rugged, Is he cultural and clean? Now it's all change; it's got to change more; 'Cause we think it's getting better, But nobody's really sure.

Verse 3:

See the nice boys dancing in pairs; Golden earring, golden tan, Blow-wave in the hair. Sure they're all straight, straight as a line; All the gays are macho; Can't you see the leather shine?

Verse 4:

You don't want to sound dumb. Don't want to offend; So don't call me a faggot, Not unless you are a friend. Then if you're tall and handsome and strong, You can wear the uniform and I could play along. (To Chorus:)

Verse 5:

Time to get scared; time to change plan.
Don't know how to treat a lady,
Don't know how to be a man.
Time to admit what you call defeat,
'Cause there's women running past you now,
And you just drag your feet.

Verse 6:

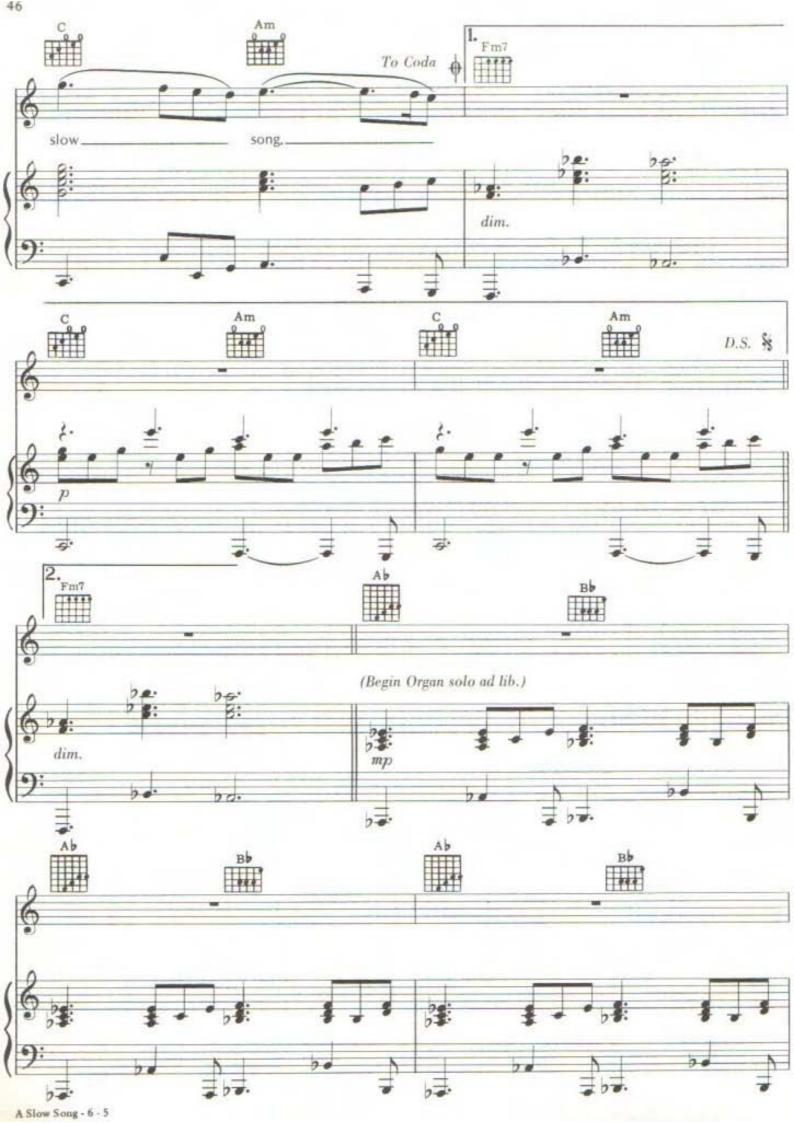
Man makes a gun; man goes to war;
Man can kill and man can drink,
And man can take a whore.
Kill all the blacks; kill all the reds;
And if there's war between the sexes
Then there'll be no people left. (To Chorus:)













Verse 2: You see, my friend and me Don't have an easy day, And at night we dance, not fight; And we need the energy,

And we need the energy If not the sympathy.

Verse 3:

It's late; I'm winding down.
Am I the only one
To want a strong and silent sound
To pick me up and undress me;
Lay me down and caress me?

Verse 4:

I feel you touch my hand And whisper in my ear; Ask me how I'm feeling now, And I want to get near you, But I can't even hear you.

Bridge 2:

But this is a fine romance If we have to be so demanding; We need just one more dance to Leave here with an understanding.

(To Chorus:)

A SLOW SONG By Joe Jackson

Music has charms they say But in some people's hands It becomes a savage beast Can't they control it Why don't they hold it back

You see my friend and me Don't have an easy day And at night we dance not fight And we need the energy If not the sympathy

But I'm brutalized by bass And terrorized by treble I'm open to change my mood but I always get caught in the middle

Chorus
And I get tired of DJ's
Why is it always what he plays
I'm gonna push right through
I'm gonna tell him too
Tell him to play us
Play us a slow song

It's late — I'm winding down
Am I the only one
To want a strong and silent sound
To pick me up and undress me
Lay me down and caress me

I feel you touch my hand And whisper in my ear Ask me how I'm feeling now And I want to get near you But I can't even hear you

But this is a fine romance
If we have to be so demanding
We need just one more dance to
Leave here with an understanding

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