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CONTROL - 1996

You have it all because
You hold control
Of who I am told to be

You don't have to tell me that
I'm the best you've ever seen
Cause glasses gleam bright and my leather is tight

I'm the best you've ever heard
Cause the buzz was brought on every word

Everything that's born must die
No one will feel the pain
The machine replaces life
And the ends flow the same

You have it all because
You hold control
Of who I am told to be

Don't let them fool you
Your mighty dollar is the master of the show
And it's a brand new day
So get up, get on up

Get out in the club
Find a favorite band that you like
Not because that's what you're told

But what you feel

You have it all because
You hold control
Of who I am told to be

UNLEARN - 1996

Grown away from home
Society move here
Situation change and with it
Comes the lonesome tears

You learn who you'll be
And who you cast aside
Far from reality
Your soul can't try to hide

You sent her here
With something to learn
You sent her here
She was stripped of all her pride
You sent her here
Now comes your worst fear

With all the winds of change
Tempers flare aware
If you take a feel through my feeling
You'll see that I don't care

What you think you need
To perceive what you'll be
If looks can clear the skin
I'm the one who take you in

You sent her here
With something to learn
You sent her here
Her angers taking pride
You sent her here
Her tears are fear

Of the dreams she left the night she cried

And the thoughts that stay behind
What's she told is right
In the days that lay ahead she waits
For the masses to inform her
Who she's supposed to hate

And the bullet returns now
To take her back what belongs to her
And the bullet returns love
To bring her back where she used to be
And the bullet returns now
To take her back what belongs to her
And the bullet returns love
To take her back
Take her back
Take her back
Take her back

MAN LOVES - 1995

There comes a time in every man's life
To pick what's right and wrong
A time to decide
To set out for the right side and move along

Everyone knows that the woman in your life
Says what's become of right
And what you've done all wrong
There comes a time to stay strong

There is a time when you describe
What you want out of your life
You hope they consent it's right
But don't be fooled by the bright smiles they give

You don't get everything you want
You only get what they give
But you'll take it any day anyway
There comes a time you pray

Reasons for being in love (astound you)
Complicate feelings of trust (in your brothers)
Someday you'll see that what you are is my
Bright and shining, little, lovely star

And only you can make my life blue

There comes a time when you disguise
All the thoughts of love lost
And you take the time to open your eyes
And despise all the times you made her cry

You can't take it back
All the things you do in haste
Waste the things you took so long to make
There comes a time when you break fate

Reasons for being in love (astound you)
Complicate feelings of trust (in your brothers)
Someday you'll see that what you are is my
Bright and shining, little, lovely star
And only you can make my dreams true

Reasons for being in love (astound you)
Complicate feelings of trust (in your brothers)
Someday you'll see that what you are is my
Bright and shining, little, lovely star
And only you can make me love you

LOVE FELL DOWN - 1995

And every night I sit and wonder where you are
And what you did tonight
Then I wonder if you thought of how
We once were tight
Then I shake it off and remind myself
I don't need to remember anymore

When I found love I fell down
When I found love it knocked me to the ground
And every time I see you smile I feel pain
And every time I hear goodbye it feels the same

And every night I lay and dream of you and me
Making it alright
And in my dreams it seems
That we fall back in love
Then the buzzer rings and I can't stop
Thinking of you and the things we do

When I found love I fell down
When I found love it knocked me to the ground
And every time I see you smile I feel pain
And every time I hear goodbye I hear your name

ANDOVER - 1996

Emotions come in many names
Some common and some clever
Elegant and simply whimsical
But all are unique

Thought they all share the same
Beauty and harmony
Beauty greater than all other life
Passionate woman

And life turns wonder wheels as time
Rolls over and over
And love turns wonder wheels as time
Rolls over and over

Peace and harmony
The perfect entity for two
With one glance I feel overwhelmed
By the beauty gazing from your eyes to mine

And life turns wonder wheels as time
Rolls over and over
And love turns wonder wheels as time
Rolls over and over

Love is to me what I see pass in front of me
With no guarantee
How long will it be until you run
To kiss me, kiss me

Emotions come in many names
Some common and some clever
Elegant and simply whimsical
Sometimes tries your very soul

Just to realize that you know
That the one you need is right in front of you

And life turns wonder wheels as time
Rolls over and over
And love turns wonder wheels as time
Rolls over and over
Over and over
Over and over
Over and over

OVERWHELMED - 1995

Have you ever wanted to love
With the whole soul capable of feeling
Overjoyed and overwhelmed
My words express my soul
You should know you hold control

In the way of your special gaze
That's displayed on a lonely Sunday
When star light strikes my heart from your eyes
I can't help but to wait

Falling hard for your voice
When speaking musically
Overjoyed and overwhelmed
My eyes perceive moonlit skies
Foreign lies visualize troubled times

In the way of your special gaze
That's displayed on a lonely Sunday
When star light strikes my heart from your eyes
I can't help but to wait

Given all one should give
Bad times sympathize leaving my cries
Overjoyed and overwhelmed
My pain gives way to shame
Can't explain

Am I bleeding for you to see
Am I feeling truth from you to me

Am I stealing what makes me feel real

Am I breaking something that wasn't meant to be
Am I taking for granite you liked me
Am I grasping for the chance for love

I'M FEARFUL - 1995

Here we are
Not knowing nothing
Is this real or emancipated dreams
I'm fearful

Now I crouch
Your stinger's in my
I want to tell it all to stop
Before I blow my top and drop
I'm fearful

All the times
I wanted you to pull me through
All the lies
I told myself to be with you
All the games
I tossed around inside myself
I can't see my health in my death
I'm fearful

Now I crouch
Your stinger's in my
I want to tell it all to stop
Before I blow my top and drop
I'm fearful

HIGHER - 1996

Sitting here at three a.m.
Wondering what to do and how
I used to be him
The one that's got it all now

Maybe my time has past me by
Maybe now on I won't even try
But maybe that's a lie
It's time to fly

My dreams won't wait
I can be that man again
History's full of fate
And the future never ends

One more time I'll make the climb
Eternity won't pass me by
Maybe that's why
It's time to die

Higher, I want that better life
Higher, Lift me up, lift me up
Higher, I want to be by your side
Higher, another average suicide

I'm tired and alone
I could use a little help
But my family's all grown
And carry burdens all themselves

Off the edge and I'm falling free
This world no longer holds control over me
My soul can finally see
It's time to be

Higher, I want that better life
Higher, Lift me up, lift me up
Higher, I want to be by your side
Higher, another average suicide

MISTER - 1996 (Control 1996)

Mister, got a little hell to pay a little soul to raise
Sister, got a thank you for showing me the score
Mother, I'm thanking you for guiding me through
Through this world

Little man had big plans
Gonna be all he can

But when he reached up to the sky
Another man took all his pride

Everything you see is a show
Put on by those who just don't know
What it takes to be a real
Player playing just what he feels

Mister, why can't you see the difference in me
Sister, don't believe everything you see
Brother, come with me and set me free
Free from this world

Little man had big plans
Gonna be all he can
But when he reached up to the sky
Another man took all his pride

Everything you see is a show
Put on by those who just don't know
What it takes to be a real
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REAL LIKE ME - 1994

You know you know you are
The one that makes my vision clear
And now I feel
It's real, it's real

You know that I alone
With your help turned from sorry to
Something I feel
I'm real, your real

Turning my desires to fires by us
Never knew that I going to be secure
Now that my desires were trampled by us
I realize that I was the lucky one

You know you know I've grown
From the way you treated me
And I am thankful

To be real like me

You might have done some wrong
You might even feel confused
But I will love you
For making me full

Turning my desires to fires by us
Never knew that I going to be secure
Now that my desires were trampled by us
I realize that I was the lucky one

ALL I EVER HAD - 1991

Growing old, never had him there
To get told what was right or wrong
Mother's strength pulled us through everything
From little league until I left home
Reminisce of the times I cried on that porch
And played alone

Remembering when I thought I was lost in your heart
Did some things maybe coarsely just so you would talk
Shenanigans might have held the key
Though we almost fought you finally cried to me

That's all I ever had
That's the one thing that makes me a man
Realizing what you said
You might have lost a friend

As time flew by I finally meet the real you
And gained knowledge of the similarities
That we share with exceptions of some long hair
You were wild and free just like me

Now that we opened up that door
Feelings can't take it if someone utters anymore

That's all I ever had
That's the one thing that makes me a man
Realizing what you said
You might have lost a friend

Visualize times I thought you taught me wrong
There's no question I'm right
But these forgiving hands will grant another chance
Prove to me that I make you proud of me
When I do the things I took from you
And give them to this world in your name

Growing old, hope your there
So I'll be told what's right and wrong
Grandma's strength will pull us through anything
I pray your there every time I come back home
Reminisce of the times we cried on that porch and played

I'm all you'll ever have
I'm the one thing that makes you a man
Remember what you said
You'll never lose a friend