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## Watch

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Time's passing by  
Watch,  
live for that special moment  
and never turn back.

Time isn't the issue  
when you are the starlight of my eyes.  
Fast as lightning or slow as a tortoise  
how do you want it?

Who's to say I can't move in my own pace?

Met you tonight,

(one-night stand)

Fell in love afterwards,

Something about you

Caught my unwavering attention

You're like no other.

God damn that was unreal.

A few hours felt like days.

I can be your dazzling light

Just for this unforgettable night,

watching your face.

(A True Goddess).

All of a sudden, I feel a *zap*...

It was all a dream,  
and I watched her go by.

The girl of my lucid dreams,  
never to be seen again.

I'd rather sleep than be awake,

That's when I'm the happiest,

That's when I'm myself!

Time moves how I want it to move.

But,  
time isn't the issue.

Dreams are childlike pure,

But

Life's the bitch.

Every day is hell,

Every night a blessing.

I'm getting older,

I watch the years go by

Never finding Karma

Always Alone.

Time's passing by,

So take a moment and,

Watch.