

## Before You Were Born

Toad The Wet Sprocket

How can it happen that every time  
You ask us this question the answer seems like a lie  
You know what we're saying and you know what it means  
And it's always sincere god knows  
But it never gets through to where you need

Before you were born someone kicked in the door  
There's no place for you here, stay back where you belong  
Before you were born someone kicked in the door  
You are not wanted here, stay back where you belong

God damn the people who left you in pain  
God damn the father without face, without name  
And god damn the lovers who never showed up  
And god damn the wounds that show how deep a word can cut

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And how can it happen now that you know the cause  
That nothing is changing and everything's wrong  
But pain is the healing and the tears sting like alcohol  
Just keep on there breathing  
We'll bring you down the long, long road back home