

Belle and Sebastian - I Want The World To Stop

Intro: Am Dm C E 4x

Chorus: Am Dm
I want the world to stop (I want the world to stop)
C E
Give me the morning (give me the understanding)
Am Dm
I want the world to stop (I want the world to stop)
C E
Give me the morning, give me the afternoon
Am A
The night, the night

Dm G
Let me step out of my shell
C E Am G F E
That's wrapped in sheets of milky winter disorder
Dm G C
Let me feel the air again, the talk of friends
E Am G F E
The mind of someone my equal

Chorus

Dm G C
Tinseltown has followed me from Tinseltown to
E Am G F E
Grey adorable city by the docks
Dm G
Girls will walk in moving air
C E
The sun hangs low, the girls don't care
Am G F Em Dm C Bm E Am G F Em Dm C Bm E
As they paint themselves at dusk

Chorus Am Dm
I want the world to stop (I want the world to stop)
C E
Give me the morning, give me the afternoon
Am A
The night, the night

Dm G C
Towns' and cities' populations up and grow
E Am G F E
The workers move to the suburbs
Dm G
In between I watch and go
C E
I run alongside rush hour traffic
Am G F Em Am Dm C E (x2)
A prayer for every car

Chorus

Dm G
I want to write a message to you
C E Am G F E
Every day at ten o'clock in the evening
Dm G
Yellow pearl my city is
C
This is your art
E Am G F Em Dm C Bm E
This is your Balzac, your Brookside, and your Bach
Am G F Em Dm C Bm E (repeat to fade)