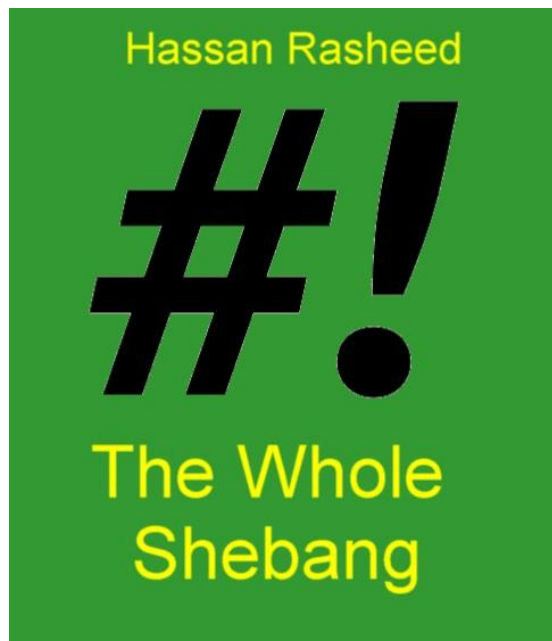


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Earth Lyrics

Based on the relationship between humans and the second law of thermodynamics.

The second law of thermodynamics states that in any spontaneous process, the total disorder, or entropy, of the universe always increases. This means that systems naturally move from more ordered to more disordered states, and heat will spontaneously flow from a hotter object to a colder one, not the reverse.



Explained in this Book

Amazon

By Hassan A Rasheed

The fires call for me
And have scorched me

Help me I'm Burning, help me I'm Burning

I'm dying, I'm dying
I'm out there trying
Trying to endure
Feeling insecure
Parts of me died
As I had cried
I burn I burn

And will not return
The fires call for me
And have scorched me

Help me I'm Burning, help me I'm Burning

Now I raise my voice
Cause I have a choice
Body and soul at my disposal
As I write this proposal
Now is the time to fight
But it's hard to see the light
When smoke burns our eyes

With poisoned lies
The fires call for me
And have scorched me
Help me I'm Burning, help me I'm Burning

The fires call for me
And have scorched me
Help me I'm Burning, help me I'm Burning

Chain

By Hassan Rasheed

Life on Earth is like a circular chain

We have nowhere else to go

Each link is an Earthly feature and creature

We have nowhere else to go

Don't bulldoze the hills and valleys away

We have nowhere else to go

Don't tread on the elephants in the jungle

We have nowhere else to go

Don't consume all the fish of the blue sea

We have nowhere else to go

Don't harm the whales and orcas of the ocean

We have nowhere else to go

Don't threaten the indigenous of the wild

We have nowhere else to go

Don't eliminate the insects of the forest

We have nowhere else to go

Don't harm the birds in the wide blue sky

We have nowhere else to go

Don't forsake the snakes in the underbrush

We have nowhere else to go

Don't ignore the amoeba under your foot

We have nowhere else to go

Don't harm the precious rivers and streams

We have nowhere else to go

Don't fill the oceans and seas with toxins

We have nowhere else to go

So don't break Earth's living chain

We have nowhere else to go

Dilemma

By Hassan Rasheed

Let me count the ways I love nature

It has created every creature

And that includes insignificant me

To live and interact and to be

My desire is to live forever and ever

Alongside the antelope and beaver

I want to play, sing, and dance

And lay with the object of my romance

Yet the way things are currently going

We are definitely on the path of destroying

All that is beautiful and grand

Just to gain a few dollars in the hand

As they say, the writing is on the wall

We are destined to lose it all

For it is the ultimate will of nature

Dissolution is our ultimate future

I have to admit it is hard to achieve
That neither I or the world will survive
Thoughts of living forever in Eden
Are thoughts that are now forbidden

I have to find a way to accept
That which goes against my concept
Of the world as stable and endless
That we all will be lost in nothingness

Eclipse

By Hassan A Rasheed

Thoughts were nowhere to be found
And there was calm and peace all around
As the Earth around the sun revolved
A liquid Christal looked to it and evolved

From the sea it crawled onto land
Erected itself and began to stand
At first there were the deer and legume
That started to dance and consume

Things didn't stop there but had grown
Soon a man was born on a throne
Proclaimed to be the one and only god
Overall the rest he spoke expecting a nod

With words spoken of a great heaven
To which all must toil and be forgiven
With sweat he built many a nation
Somehow got the mistaken notion

He would live forever and ever in paradise
Only to find out that notion will not suffice
His world started to collapse and crumble
Realized too late he needed to be humble

Too late to do anything but kneel to the sun
Asked for forgiveness for himself and his son
A son who had no mother to hold him darling
To teach him how to be humble and caring

As tears dropped onto the substrate
He shut his eyes accepting his fate
Suddenly thoughts were nowhere to be found
And there was calm and peace all around

Economy

By Hassan A Rasheed

The world's economy is running at juggernaut speed

And everyone is trying to catch a ride

To pursue wealth, prosperity and happiness

And climb the ladder of a billionaire's pride

Politicians jump on the economic bandwagon

To secure their place in the halls of the capital

To pursue wealth, prosperity and happiness

And climb the ladder of influence and control

The economy does not acquiesce but grows

Encouraging more people to participate

In the pursue of wealth, prosperity and happiness

And climb the ladder of affluence and non-constraint

But as the economy and population grow

The wealth of the Earth dwindles and collapses

Gone are the elephants, jaguars, and Auks

Replaced with piles of waste and plastics

We reached the point of consuming the principle

Leaving less and less for our precious followers

Gone are the ocean fish and the birds of the sky

Gone are the fertile soils and mountain glaciers

No one dares control the juggernaut's appetite

For it would mean the loss of millions

No one dares control the economy's growth

For it would mean the loss of billions

And so, we are driving off the cliff of no return

Like a massive herd of mindless lemmings

for there is no hope of turning things around

Before we all experience the great collapse

Priority 1

By Hassan A Rasheed

Life on Earth is something like a chain
That has no beginning or end
It is circular with many side branches
That intertwine with many diverges

Who are we the humans of the Earth?
Are we at the top of the food pyramid?
Do we have a superior intellect?
Why do we always contradict?

The reason we always contradict
We are not at the top of the food chain
We are not superior intellectuals
And no better than any flea's entrails

The reason we always contradict
We create civilizations that constrict
The meanings of the wisdom of nature
Ignoring the fact, it is our future

We should have been wise
Considered ourselves part of nature
And not apart from the living Earth

And all it has to offer in peace and mirth

So, lay down your pens and note pads

Rid yourself from bulldozers and factories

And of the notion you are of superiority

Accepting Earth as the one and only priority

Revelation

By Hassan A Rasheed

I don't really know why I am so angry!

All I want is some peace and harmony

But the current trend is slash, burn and take

More than what the Earth and Sun can create

There are efforts to cut back on our consumption

That are falling way too short of fruition

Some say that it is a noble cause full of ambition

And I say it is a halfhearted effort and capitulation

The path is obvious, and it is mass casualty

But Nature does not allow our incongruity

It dictates all we are doing like it or not

And it does not matter what we sought

According to Nature all is headed to dissolution

What we are doing is moving to that destination

So, relax there is nothing we can really do

Except sing, dance and enjoy what we do

And so, my anger has melted into oblivion

So, now I move on from my obsession

To sing about this revelation to you

To help you understand my point of view

So, let's practice some peace and harmony

And accept the current trends whatever they be

For we are all on a rudderless ship drifting

In a sea that has no shore for docking

Tribe

By Hassan A Rasheed

I don't know why we start catastrophes

Some say it is because of territories

Some say it is because of our monies

Some say it is because of economies

We come from indigenous hunters

Living in wild and dangerous jungles

Who gathered what each member needed

Whether it be shelter, food or to be accepted

It took personal skill and ingenuity to do that

And group camaraderie to accomplish all that

And so, a group creed was gradually founded

To preserve what the group had developed

Tribalism evolved, encouraging various scenarios

Like territory boundaries, skin color, and opinions

To fit into their environments and keep out others

And to preserve their ways and belief structures

Tribalism worked many thousands of years

Until technology suddenly appears

Requiring the evolution of a new item

To cope with the explosion in population

But time quickly ran out on evolution

And humans were stuck with tribalism

Which was not designed for global interactions

As a result, we have mass devastations

And so, this riddle explains

Why we have wars with so many pains

For it is not our fault we are in a mess

On the edge of the grand abyss