

IN THE NICK OF TIME

1 Mo ther Wa ter, Fa ther Earth
2 thank you for the flesh and blood that were my house while here with you
1 for the pre sents made at birth
2 trees to shade me from the heat and for the cold fire wood and wool
1 har bours safe to be at berth
3 though I stood firm to bite much more than I could chew

1 Mo ther Wa ter, Fa ther Earth
1 time has come for me to go

4 Here to day and since to mo rrow flees
5 I want to sing like birds sing
4 want to roar as gales do through the trees
5 and sail through seas on full wind
4 like a gey ser I'll shoot up so proud
6 in a straight line
4 In the nick of time as light goes down
5 I'll laugh as loud as wine

1 Mo ther Wa ter, Fa ther Earth
1 now it's time for me to go

4 Let me once a gain stand guard to night
5 like stars watch skies as Earth spins
4 let me dance just like the bu tter fly
5 flash co lors bright on my wings
4 if there's left yet one more peak to climb
6 I will go there
4 In the nick of time as skies turn dark
5 I'll leave my mark on air