

WAITING FOR LIGHTNING

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Verse 1

Standing on the edge of the truth,
 looking out at the view of all you used to believe.
From where you are,
 you can see you're far away from home.
Echoes of the life you once knew,
 call out to you from across the divide
and you know it's time to step back over the line.

Chorus 1:

But you're... *waiting for lightning.*
 A sign that it's time for a change.
You're *listening for thunder*
 While He quietly whispers your name.
(This echo - 1st time ONLY) *Whispers your name.*

Verse 2

Night falls and the curtain goes down
No ones around, it's just you and the truth.
As you lie in wait for a feeling to take you by storm.

Somewhere in the depths of your heart

(Somewhere in your heart)

Where it's empty and dark, there's a flicker of light.

and the spirit calls, but do you notice at all.

(Oooooohhhhhh -- Aaaahhhh)

Or are you... ***(Repeat Chorus 1)***

Bridge: (After 2nd time thru Chorus 1)

But the sign and the word have already been given

and now it's by faith we must look we must listen.

Instead of.... ***(Chorus 2)***

Chorus 2:

Instead of... *waiting for lightning.*

A sign that it's time for a change.

...listening for thunder (echo only)

Are you listening

Cause He quietly whispers your name.

Whispers your name. (echo only)

Oooh, don't wait

Waiting for lightning (echo only)

Don't wait.