

So Many Years

*Words and Music by Glenn Simonelli*

Playmates scaling the maple limbs

Swordfight

King of the Hill

Fireflies in jars

Toboggans, Wonderbars and dungarees

Clumsy fingers chase the tadpoles in the muddy pond

Soul mates wander the nipping shore

Seasons quicken their pace

Touch upon the shoulder ripples as the pulse accelerates

Tentative excursions leading to the depths of joy

It's been so many years, so many years

It's been so very long

(Repeat)

Confident explorer

Optimistic possibilities

Sailing with the Sirens, walking in the land of dreams

Conquest

Place at the pinnacle

Reapers taste the rewards

Triumph, Booty

Swagger

Rapture and a growing dynasty

Feed into the rhythm

Aspirations fill the gaps

It's been so many years, so many years

It's been so very long

(Repeat)

Old men in the park playing chess and cards and hearken bawdy tales

See the children growing, shrug and deal another hand

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It's been so very long

(Repeat)

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