

“RUN BACK HOME” BY ANI

[Oriental style Music]:

Love was my aim/ as I looked through the pane/ thought I had clarity/ was it just mirror me
And you looked in my eyes/ gave breath to my soul/ did you murder my right/ to escape what is life

I walk down that street/ know I've been there before/ but it's just a machine/ surely it can be fixed
Now those houses are gone/ walls of paper decayed/ maybe just like my heart/ was it ever there

And I dream/ and I see/ my home/ where I'll be
And I run/ through the smiles/ to my love/ and my child
These are me
They want you

[Western style music - chorus]:

*Why do I run back home/ when the faces there are all my-y own
I can think you're standing there/ but you're holding my dreams/ yeah, holding my dreams/ **oh, holding my dreams**
And I/ can never touch them/ never hold them/ never hear them/ smell them/ be them
Oh, I know that I'm wrong/ so why do I dream/ and why do I run back home*

[Return to Oriental style music of first verse]:

When you made me to love/ did you think about how/ I could be hurt/ by your heart repel
I know I'll never stop/ love from two minds the same/ will I ever conclude/ do you deny me all fate

I still live for you/ you're all I forgive/ the torture of soul/ was not your mistake
I'll live in that dream/ to think I am real/ then maybe we'll love/ when you're floating free

And I dream/ I can steal/ the life/ of your girl
And I'll feel/ all the tears/ the warmth/ and the years
This is my
Cold home for life

[Western style music - chorus]:

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Oh, I know that I'm wrong/ so why do I dream/ and **why do I run back ho-ome!***

Back ho-ome

Instrumental – a mixture of Western and Oriental styles, with both sets of instruments playing.

[Oriental style music – similar to the “I dream” sections of the previous two verses, but slower]:

And it's all/ said and done/ you can't/ make us one
And you/ are to leave/ never know/ if I'll breathe
You said live
Is love life

So all I can do/ is run/ back home

[By Jonathan Padfield 18/01/2000]