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## Paroles de chanson

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# Elderly Woman Behind the Counter in a Small Town

Par Pearl Jam

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I seem to recognize your face

Haunting, familiar, yet I can't seem to place it

Cannot find the candle of thought to light your name

Lifetimes are catching up with me

All these changes taking place

I wish I'd seen the place

But no one's ever taken me

**Hearts and thoughts, they fade, fade away**

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I swear, I recognize your breath

Memories like fingerprints are slowly raising

Me, you wouldn't recall for I'm not my former

It's hard when you're stuck upon the shelf

I changed by not changing at all

Small town predicts my fate

Perhaps that's what no one wants to see

I just want to scream, hello

My God, it's been so long

Never dreamed you'd return

But now here you are and here I am

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