

# Paul Simon - The Boy In the Bubble

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## [Verse 1]

It was a slow day  
And the sun was beating  
On the soldiers by the side of the road  
There was a bright light  
A shattering of shop windows  
The bomb in the baby carriage was wired to the radio

## [Chorus]

These are the days of miracle and wonder  
This is the long distance call  
The way the camera follows us in slo-mo  
The way we look to us all  
The way we look to a distant constellation  
That's **dying** in a corner of the sky  
These are the days of miracle and wonder  
And don't cry baby, don't cry, don't cry

## [Verse 2]

It was a dry wind  
And it swept across the desert  
And it curled into the circle of birth  
And the **dead** sand  
Falling on the children  
The mothers and the fathers and the automatic earth

### **[Chorus]**

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### **[Verse 3]**

It's a turn-around jump **shot**  
It's everybody jump start  
It's every generation throws a hero up the pop charts  
Medicine is magical and magical is art  
Think of the boy in the bubble  
And the baby with the baboon heart

And I believe  
These are the days of lasers in the jungle  
Lasers in the jungle somewhere  
Staccato signals of constant information  
A loose affiliation of millionaires  
And billionaires and baby

**[Chorus]**

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Ooooooh...

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