

# Losing my religion - R.E.M.

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Intro:

| F - - G | Am - - G | F - - G | Am - G / |

Couplet 1:

Oh, life it's bigger, it's bigger that you and you are not me  
The lengths that I will go to, the distance in your eyes  
Oh no I've said too much, I've said it all

Couplet 2:

That's me in the corner, that's me in the spotlight, losing my religion.  
Trying to keep up with you, and I don't know if I can do it  
Oh no I've said too much, I haven't said enough

Refrein 1:

I thought that I heard you laughing, I thought that I heard you sing  
I think I thought I saw you try

Couplet 3:

Every whisper of every waking hour, I'm choosing my confessions  
Trying to keep an eye on you, like a hurt lost and blinded fool, oh  
Oh no I've said too much, I said it all

Couplet 4:

Consider this, consider this, a hint of the century, consider this  
a slip that brought me to my knees, pale  
what if all these fantasies come flailing around, now I've said too much

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### Refrein 2:

I thought that I heard you laughing, I thought that I heard you sing  
I think I thought I saw you try

### Brug:

But that was just a dream  
That was just a dream

### Couplet 5:

That's me in the corner, that's me in the spotlight, losing my religion.  
Trying to keep up with you, and I don't know if I can do it  
Oh no I've said too much, I haven't said enough

### Refrein 3:

I thought that I heard you laughing, I thought that I heard you sing  
I think I thought I saw you try

### Coda:

But that was just a dream  
Try, cry, fly, and try  
That was just a dream  
Just a dream  
Just a dream, dream  
Am...