

It's a living thing – ELO

(tokkelend) C Bbm C Bbm F G-G

C G-G

C Am  
Sailing away on the crest of a wave It's like magic  
**Ab** **Fm**  
Oh, rolling and riding and slipping and sliding it's magic  
**Emsus4-Em** **Dm**  
And you, and your sweet desire,  
**Emsus4-Em** **Dm** **Em** **F** **G** (all staccato)**C**  
You took me, oh, higher and higher baby,  
**Am** **F**  
It's a living thing,  
**Dm** **G6** **G6+A** **C**  
It's a terrible thing to lose  
**Am** **F**  
It's a giving thing  
**Dm** **G6** **G6+A** (tokkelend) **C** **Bbm** **C** **Bbm** **G-G**  
What a terrible thing to lose.

(tokkelend) C Bbm C Bbm

G-G C G-G

C  
Making believe this is what you've conceived

**Am**

From your worst day, (I'm taking a dive)

**Ab**

Moving in line when you look back in time

**Fm**

To the first day, (I'm taking I'm taking)

**Emsus4-Em**

**Dm**

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**Am** **F**  
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It's a terrible thing to lose  
**Am** **F**  
It's a giving thing  
**Dm** **G6** **G6+A** **C**  
What a terrible thing to lose.  
**Bbm** **F** **G-G**  
I'm taking a dive. Halt the slide hey

**C G-G**

**C**

Taking a dive cause you can't halt the slide

**Am**

Floating down stream, (I'm taking a dive)

**Ab**

Oh, so let her go don't start spoiling the show

**Fm**

It's a bad dream, (I'm taking , I'm taking)

**Emsus4-Em**

**Dm**

And you, and your sweet desire,

**Emsus4-Em**

**Dm**

(Don't you do it), don't you do it to

me, oh,

**Em F G (all staccato)C**

higher and higher baby

**Am F**

It's a living thing,

**Am G5+/7 C**

It's a terrible thing to lose

**Am F**

It's a giving thing

**Am G5+/7 C**

What a terrible thing to lose.

**Am F**

It's a living thing,

**Am G5+/7 C**

It's a terrible thing to lose

**Am F**

It's a giving thing

**Am G5+/7 C**

What a terrible thing to lose.