
The future is ugly

Who knew ~ ~

{A} Walking in a new neighborhood

tall buildings of glass and steel
Shapes we dreamed of in those movies
Never thought to see them real

C G Am Em C G Am Em/D

{B} There was THX and Blade Runner

Lost planet and all the Treks
But walking here I'm struggling
Why is the future so ugly

G Am Em D 2x

{A} Who knew that all this future
Would glom together antiseptically
Colors jar, shapes don't coalesce
I feel out of place, without reality
Who knew ~ ~

{B} and why didn't someone complain

Spaces, illustrated Looked so inviting
Here before me, they're dull and deadly
Beauty defeated went down fighting

{C} Why is the future so ugly?/ This future is so ugly

If this is what the future brings/ I don't want to live in this way of being
Ugly is as ugly did/ The future could be better
But if this the future be / I'd rather die, before it gets here.

{A} Elders promised us a wonderful future

One filled with amazing solutions
To problems we didn't know we had
All those voices pointing out what's bad

{C} But the future is ugly/ we didn't know

Now that it's here/ the ugly shows

{C} G D C D G D Em D or G D C Em Am G C D
--

{B} The first skyscrapers symbol aspiration

The tallest building powerful nations
Now the structure's private billionaires

Block our views as if they care. *End with a chorus {C}*
