

From Both Sides Now / Joni Mitchell

Bows and flows of angel hair
And ice cream castles in the air
And feather canyons everywhere
I've looked at clouds that way



But now they only block the sun
They rain and snow on everyone
So many things I would have done
But clouds got in my way

I've looked at clouds from both sides now
From up and down, and still somehow
It's cloud illusions I recall
I really don't know clouds at all

Moons and Junes and Ferris wheels
The dizzy dancing way you feel
As every fairy tale comes real
I've looked at love that way



But now it's just another show
You leave 'em laughing when you go
And if you care, don't let them know
Don't give yourself away

I've looked at love from both sides now
From give and take, and still somehow
It's love's illusions I recall
I really don't know love at all

Tears and fears and feeling proud
To say "I love you" right out loud
Dreams and schemes and circus crowds
I've looked at life that way



But now old friends are acting strange
They shake their heads, they say I've changed
Well something's lost, but something's gained
In living every day

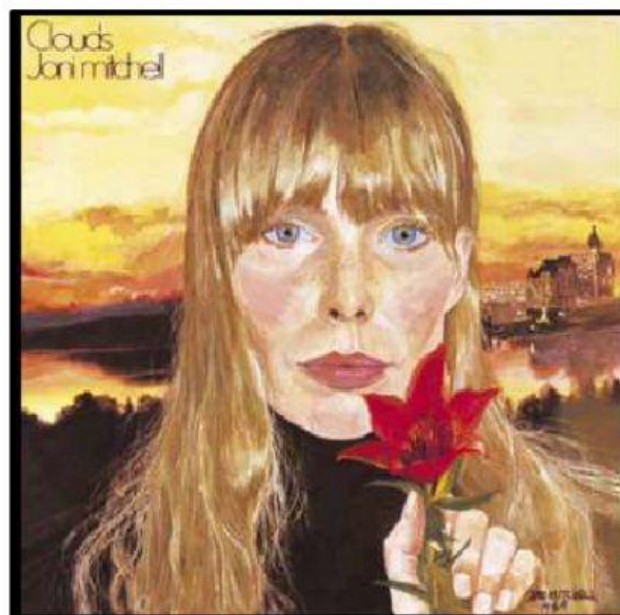
I've looked at life from both sides now
From win and lose and still somehow
It's life's illusions I recall
I really don't know life at all

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From up and down, and still somehow
It's life's illusions I recall
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Both Sides Now

As kids or youngsters, we believe that we understand the world well. As we progress into adulthood and become grown-ups, we discover that many things are very different from how we saw them earlier in life. As you mature from childhood into adulthood, you gain a different perspective on life.

Like the ice-cream, the castles melt away in daylight.



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7m_t3_1vbX8

Vocabulary

1. a bow - _____ a rainbow - _____
2. a flow - _____
3. a castle - _____
4. a canyon - _____
5. a feather - _____
6. to block - _____
7. an illusion - _____
8. to recall = to remember - _____
9. a Ferris wheel - _____
10. dizzy - _____
11. a fairy tale - _____ a fairy - _____
12. to come real = to fulfill - _____
13. to give away - _____
14. tears - _____
15. fears - _____
16. a scheme - _____
17. a circus - _____
18. a crowd - _____
19. to gain - _____
20. a point of view - _____
21. a perspective - _____
22. an attitude - _____
23. on the one hand.....on the other hand - _____
24. an opinion - _____
25. maturity - _____
26. childhood - _____ =/= adulthood - _____