

## Time Plays

Tick time, tick time  
we must keep time  
we must keep track  
minute and hour, each day we count  
measuring measuring, our lives each part  
can our counts  
extend our time?

Tick time, tick time  
we watch the years  
we watch the decades  
on the counts, we celebrate  
is it real, or just a ploy  
perhaps masking  
our fragileness?

Tick time, tick time  
look again  
look outside  
observe the oceans, ebb and flow  
see the stars, in vast array  
do they count time  
is time so real?

Tick time, tick time  
beyond our sight  
beyond our world  
what of God, who made it all  
before our beginning, past our end  
does time count  
to God at all?

Tick time, tick.

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***All the days ordained for me were written in your book before  
one of them came to be.***

Psalm 139 verse 16 (NIV)