

LOOKIN' FORWARD, LOOKIN' BACK

David Gordon Kirkpatrick born on 13 June 1927 in Kempsey, New South Wales, the son of a cattle farmer. Kirkpatrick adopted the stage name "Slim Dusty" in 1938 at eleven years of age.

**Look-in' for-ward, look-in' back
I've come a long way down the track
got a long way left to go
mak-ing songs from what I know.**

**Mak-ing sen-se of what I've seen
all the love we've had be-tween
you and I a-long the track
look-in' for-ward, look-in' back.**

**There are s-t-r-a-n-g-e day-s
full of change
a-long the way
but we'll be fine
un-like so-me
I'll be lean-ing for-ward
to see what's com-ing *[Pause]***

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[16 x Bar Instrumental]

**If I'm a-lone at night
I can se-e
thro-ugh all tri-vi-al-i-ty
of the day and I'm o-ka-y
I just think of those who are dear to me *[Pause]***

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**Making so-ngs from what I know
Look-in' forward, look-in' back**