

The day the world went quiet

Silence, no one made a sound

No cries of joy when something has been found

When I touch a steel railing cold, hard like the world around me

The smell is a mix of dread and fear

No one is smiling all worrying about what is to come

Everyone turning up their radios to hear what is going on in the
world we share

Many events cancelled

Boris said "stay inside "

Many people cannot see loved ones for months on end

At least we have facetime, or our frowns would never end

Everyone can taste fear there is no escaping it

But you can finally hear birds tweeting

So the world is not silent just quiet ...

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