#### Meet Me in the Middle

(refrain)
Meet me in the middle, honey,
(if we are wise)
meet you halfway.
(save our love today)
Meet me in the middle, darlin'
(if we are wise)
Compromise can save the day.

You say – we don't see things the same way. I say – it's too important to throw away. You say – I don't feel the same as you. I say – I don't want to sit and argue with you. (refrain)

You say – we just can't go on this way. I say – everything will be okay. You say it's only me you want to blame. I say – I just can't play your silly games today. (refrain)

You say – you just don't want to change your mind. I say – there's nothing lost we can't find. You say – you are right and I must be wrong. I say stop the fight before it's gone away. (refrain)

It only takes two to argue. And one to disagree. It don't get any better to be so angry with me. So please – (refrain) x2

# Something's Got to Give

Something's gotta give, baby, what am I to do? Something's gotta give, lover it might as well be you—

How do we move ahead, my dear? How do we get past start? How can we be the perfect pair when it's driving us apart?

Something's gotta give, baby, don't want it to be through— Something's gotta give, honey it's either me or you—

What happen to our love affair? What happened anyhow? Gotta fix what's broken, babe. Glue it back somehow.

We seem to dance around it, babe too many problems that we duck How can we get past go, girl when we're already stuck? Something's gotta give, baby, the bill is coming due. Something's gotta give, honey it really should be you—

Don't know where we're going, girl. Is our true love outlived? If we can't move back or forward, then something's really got to give!

Something's gotta give, baby, what am I to do? Something's gotta give, lover it might as well be you—

#### Who I Gotta Be

Wake up to that damn alarm, make my coffee black as hell. Another day to race the rats – Another carousel. (refrain)

Oh oh I wanna win, I wanna sin – Wanna scream like a banshee – Ain't no livin' if there's no forgivin' – Gotta be who I gotta be.

Countin' hours, one by one. It's my only soul to sell. I can't wait 'til it's five o'clock when I escape this cell! (refrain)

Make up time I left behind –
Trouble I can't tell.
I'm always in the wrong place, wrong time
– no tell motel.
(refrain)

As the day comes to an end. My life in a nutshell. I gotta get up do it all again, You can hear my yell!!! (refrain)

## **World Class Bullies**

*Intro* -All we are saying is give love a chance!

(refrain1)

World Class Bullies beatin' up on the free. World Class Bullies will they ever see? World Class Bullies beating up you and me.

You butcher the beat of history, you teach the world to hate. You spread the legs of misery, you thrust till it's just too late. You slaughter your sons and daughters, you tempt the twist of fate. You jail your political enemies, your foes you assassinate.

(refrain2)

World Class Bullies beatin' up on the free. World Class Bullies will they ever see? Love is the answer for your troubled minds. Put away the hate and leave it all behind. World Class Bullies beatin' up you and me. World Class Bullies beatin' down you and me.

Well a bully is only a coward, a skunk without a spine. Hide in the shadows of circumstance, your credit's been declined. You're a plague upon our peace, a vision of the blind. You malign the faith of honesty, you kill accord with crime.

(refrain2) Break (refrain2)

The Bullies may win the battle, but they never win the fight.
They show the world a lack of care, and just how much they spite.
No one wants a crisis.
You can keep your terrorist ways.
Give the people back there freedom, turning night back into day.
(refrain2)

Outro - People of the world, smile on your brother. Everybody come together and try to love one another right now!

## **Cup Half Full**

Every day we get a chance to breathe another breath. Every day we wipe the slate and cheat a day from death. Every day we make a choice who we want to be.

It just depends how you look at things and what you really see.

(refrain)
Got my cup half full –
better'n bein' empty.
Got my cup half full –
no jealousy or envy.
Got my cup half full of happiness
and somewhere in-between –
Got my cup half full
and I'm fine with it —
with some sugar and some cream.

No one gets to eat all the icing on the cake.
No one gets to have it all without mistakes to make.
No one has their cup so full their problems disappear.
It just depends on how you make it happen while you're here.
(refrain)

When you love yourself, you can love another, too. When you love the ways of work, it don't matter what you do. When you love instead of like there's a larger part to feel. It just depends on your attitude and how much you want revealed. (refrain)

#### Don't Shine Me On

Say what you gotta say – not what you think I hear.
Do what you gotta do – instead of being sincere.
I don't agree with everything – makes nothing very clear.
Just want your honesty – Your trust back into gear.

(refrain)
Don't shine me on. (Don't shine me on)
It doesn't make me feel better –
Don't shine me on. (Don't shine me on)
You're a liar to the letter.
Don't shine me on. (Don't shine me on)

I'm not a gullible fool. Don't shine me on. What you're doing isn't cool.

Can't trust a word you say —caught too many lies.
You cover up the obvious — the rest, deceive, disguise.
Comes so natural, doesn't it?
There's nothing to deny.
You're truly a chameleon — the truth you customize.
(refrain)

Do you ever have remorse? Are your dreams just doubletalk? How can you live within the haze when your words are full of crock? Can you be real if you can't feel honesty of thought? Can you be real if you can't feel honesty of thought? (refrain)

Don't shine me on. (Don't shine me on)
Do you take me for a fool?
Don't shine me on. (Don't shine me on)
Don't treat me like a tool.
Don't shine me on. (Don't shine me on)
What you're doing isn't cool.

#### Three Bar Blues

Been drinkin' down at Jimmy's, same ole thing y'know.
Got out a pack of smokes, he said ya can't do dat no mo. I've got the three bar blues, what can I do now?
Got to smoke 'em outside, what da law will allow –

I go to Duffy's Tavern, order myself a beer. Light one up, Duffy says ya can't do dat in here. I've got the three bar blues, what can I do now? Got to smoke 'em outside, what da law will allow –

Make it down to Murphy's, she pours me a drink. Takin' out a smoke, she says ya can't do dat stink! I've got the three bar blues, what can I do now?
Got to smoke 'em outside, what da law will allow –

(Take it outside!) blues break

It's ten degrees, I'm freezin', I should be dere inside. Frozen to my fingers, at least I'm with ma tribe. I've got the three bar blues, what can I do now? Got to smoke 'em outside, what da law will allow –

Smoke 'em if ya got 'em, but forget about the bar Don't mean to make mo' trouble with my big ol' cigar. I've got the three bar blues, what can I do now? Got to smoke 'em outside, what da law will allow –

(One more time, let's take it outside!) blues break
Brrrrrrr!

Got to smoke 'em outside, what da law will allow –

### DNA

There's a code inside of us. Fingerprints on display. It contains everything there is of me. Stay away from my D-N-A! Stay away – from my D-N-A!

I know it's genetic makeup.
An original, not a cliche –
Don't clone a damn copy of me,
Stay away from my D-N-A!
Stay away – from my D-N-A!
(refrain)
D-N-A
D-N-A
Don't want no one cloning me –
D-N-A
Not the genes I want to wear.
Forensics can go away.
I'm not an enzyme to formulate–

They know too much already. Must keep the wolves at bay. They already know my soul online. Stay away from my D-N-A! Stay away – from my D-N-A! (refrain)

Stay away from my D-N-A!

Stay away – from my D-N-A!

break

I ain't no criminal – No reason I should obey. It's a crutch, they just can't know so much! Stay away from my D-N-A! Stay away – from my D-N-A!

Big science sacrifice –
I feel like I'm on display.
One false move and they've got me now –
Stay away from my D-N-A!
Stay away – from my D-N-A!
(refrain)

#### Kick Back Relax

I think I'll just kick back a while.
Relaxation to help the smile.
The days are long, but not long enough.
Seems there's always too much stuff
to do - today - just sit back relax.
Tonight - to sleep - just dream to the max.
Tomorrow brings another day.
A chance to sing - to dance - to play.
I think I'll just kick back relax today.

The sun is up. I know somewhere. Let's walk the path without a care. The day has come, let's have some fun. A lovely night for everyone. I hear some music playing there. Smells from the past that make me care. I can't recall, I have some doubt. I only know it's what it's all about. I think I'll just kick back relax today.

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## **Hoodrat**

She's just a girl who likes to hang. A girl who can provide. The gang don't like no hanger ons. So she takes 'em for a ride.

(refrain)
Hoodrat, a hoodrat baby,
looking to hang with the gang.
Hoodrat, a hoodrat yeah,
now she knows how big is the bang!

Found her friends just down the street. They said they liked her fine.

She's off the track and can't get back. Now her life is on the line. (refrain)

She once was pretty, oh so fine, gave the teachers a smile. Now she's lost most everything, livin' the gangsta style. (refrain)

break (refrain)

Some call 'em the brotherhood, the boyz, the bloods, the tribe. Wait and see just what's in store and how long you'll be alive.

(final refrain)
Hoodrat, a hoodrat baby,
hookin' up now with the gang
Hoodrat, a hoodrat yeah,
livin' to die with a bang!
Hoodrat, a hoodrat baby,
gangin' up with a bang!
Hoodrat, a hoodrat yeah,
now she knows how big is the bang!

# Why Don't You Call?

(refrain)
Why don't you call?
(Why don't you call?)
I'm sittin' here waiting,
beating my head against the wall –
Why don't you call?
(Why don't you call?)
I'm thinking' something's wrong
'cause your silence says it all.
Yeah, why don't you call?

I left a message this mornin' – Thought we had a good thing goin'. Why don't you call? Why'd we drop the ball? Why don't you call me again? (refrain)

Seems uncool to call back again – Seems waiting turns to torture instead – Why don't you call? The time just crawls... Why don't you call me again? (refrain)

Is your phone on the blink? Is poor reception causing this stink? Why don't you call? Did you take a fall? Why don't you call me again? (refrain)

break (refrain)

Left another message this mornin' – Thought we had a good thing goin'. Why don't you call? It makes me feel so small – Why don't you call me again?

(refrain)
Why don't you call? (Why don't you call?)
I'm sittin' here waiting,
beating my head against the wall –

### **Goodbye Elvis**

My brain has left the building to a place unknown. My brain has left the building, so I just sit and moan – My brain has left the building, can't be reached by phone.

(refrain)
Say, hey. (hey) Lost a day. (hey)
Can't remember where I stay.
Or even how I got this way (hey)
Tryin' to think of somethin' to say –
Goodbye Elvis and my heart,
maybe that's a start!

My brain has left the building, may have left too soon.
My brain has left the building, I'm stuck in this damn room.
My brain has left the building on the dark side of the moon (refrain)

My brain has left the building, no longer on the stage.
My brain has left the building, just won't act its age.
My brain has left the building, words have left the page.
(refrain)

My brain is in the building, I'll keep it in a sack.
My brain is in the building, it's important, that's a fact!
My brain is in the building, so glad to have it back!
(refrain)

#### Half of Mind

I've got half of mind that tells me where to go. I've got half of mind that makes me lose control... A panic attack just takes me back, there's no place left to go – It's not what you feel, it's what you know.

I've got half of mind that tells me what to do.
I've got half of mind that makes me come unglued.
Then comes anxiety – a bad trip from my brain.
Oh, don't you know, I'm going insane?

(refrain)
If half a mind is all I have,
half a mind just ain't so bad.
Take back my half of mind
and get me to the truth...
I've got to get back in the groove.

I've got half of mind that tells me what to feel I've got half of mind and I don't know what is real. I just can't seem to get to sleep I'm afraid to shut my eyes... I'm full of fear, hear my cries!

I've got half of mind that beats me when I'm down. I've got half of mind but I can't get off the ground.
Then creeps in the doubt for listening to my brain – Oh, don't you know, I've gone insane? (refrain)

I've got half of mind but I think it's comin' due I've got half of mind and I just don't have a clue. I've got half of mind when I'm there with you. I've got half of mind that just can't breakthrough... I've got half of mind, watch out down below!
I've got half of mind that's goin' to blow...

## What Tomorrow Brings

I sang a song 'til way past dawn,
'til way past dawn you sang with me...
I wonder what tomorrow brings?

(refrain)
Time enough today.
Time enough to stay.
Time enough to say goodbye...

Well, what's the take on the latest news? And does it make you sing the blues? Has it gone a bit too far or will it even leave a scar? I wonder what tomorrow brings?

If it has come to pass that you are living in the past, then take some action, don't run fast for life is but a dream...

The money woes when the money goes, your greed for life it really shows –
Don't look back, just run with the pack and then you fade away....

We sang a song a bit too long, a bit too long you sang with me. I wonder what tomorrow brings? (refrain, repeat verse in round fashion)

Well, what's the take on the latest news? And does it make you sing the blues? Has it gone a bit too far or will it even leave a scar? I wonder what tomorrow brings? (repeat in round fashion with previous verse)

# Finger Lickin'

I first saw her down the street, said "You're lookin' fine!"
There's a spot I'd love to meet a place where we could dine.

(refrain)
She's a big plate of chicken,
a side of beans and rice.
She's enough to whet my appetite,
enough to add some spice.
She's finger-lickin', finger-pickin'
finger-frickin' gooooooood!

I asked her what she'd like to drink said "Td like some wine!" First one got sucked down so fast, put a tingle in my spine! (refrain) break

C'mon you all know the words! (crowd refrain)

After that I walked her home said "Could I come inside?"
She just smiled, took my hand, said, "I thought that was implied!" (refrain)

When I woke to sweet sunshine, said "Really was devine!"
She remarked,
"It ain't over yet, let's do it one more time!" (refrain x2)

## Living to Dream

Living to dream...
Life doesn't bother what you believe.
Your wealth and fame don't count.
I'm caught inbetween, you see.
I'm living to dream. Living to dream.

There are things that I dream to do that seem quite extreme.
Yes, I'm seeing it sight unseen.
I'm living to dream. Living to dream.
Dream. Dream.

I can dream any thing that I want and make it all come true. I'll always be there with you. I'm living to dream. Living to dream.

Peace comes from within your dreams and love comes from you.

Make the most of what time you have left. I'm living to dream. Living to dream.

Life doesn't bother what you believe. Your wealth and fame don't count. I'm caught inbetween, you see. I'm living to dream...

# Don't Kill the Messenger

(refrain)
Don't kill the messenger,
let the heart speak free.
Don't kill the messenger,
there's no reason to blame me.

You said you wanted honesty – you said you wanted truth – whether it was right or wrong, sometimes it's not so smooth.

Now my phone is never ringing My texts get no reply – Don't punish the one who told you about facts you can't deny. (refrain)

It didn't paint a pretty picture
It wasn't a charming scene –
you might have meant it clever,
but it came out really mean.
I thought we trusted one another
and had each other's backs.
I said something you can't handle,
now I'm paying the terminal tax.
(refrain)

Easy to say the gentle junk – the stuff you want to hear, but there's times you just gotta know things unpleasant to the ear. Blame the one who started it, not by what was said – when you kill the messenger, you're killing me, instead. (refrain x3)

## One More Day Forever

(refrain1)
Just one more day, yes, one more day.
One more day forever...

And If I stay, will you stay too? So we can play together. And If I smile, will you smile too? So we can laugh together. (refrain1 x2)

If I'm sad, will you cry too? And hold me 'til I'm better? And If I fall, will you come through? So many storms to weather. (refrain1 x2)

And If we love and don't look back our lives will be a treasure. And If I share my life with you will you be mine forever?

(refrain2)
Just one more day, yes, one more day.
One more day forever...
Just one more day, yes, one more day.
One more day together...

And if I sing my song for you it'll always give us pleasure.
And if you share your life with me then I'll be your's forever.

(refrain3)
Just one more day, yes, one more day.
One more day together...
Just one more day, yes, one more day.
One more day forever...

# Special bonus lyrics for *Slashpile's* **How Did I Find You?**

How did I find you? it's not what I searched for -How did I find you when I opened all the wrong doors? How did I find you at exactly the right time? How did I find you in a spot I might find? How did I find you? Aaaaahh! Was it luck or was it grace? How did I find you and end up in the right place? How did I find you? Did the angels hear my cry? How did I find you among all the passersby? How did I find you? How did I find you? Aaaaahh! How did I find you? What light helped lead the way? How did I find you? Were you mine to find someday? How did I find you? Was it fate? Was it kismet? How did I find you a spark so rare and cosmic? How did I find you? I don't really have a clue. I'm just happy I found you. A dream that did come true. Aaaaahh! Aaaaahh! It doesn't matter, who found who, but rather we're together. Fusion's formula unique for two found its target for our forever. Or did you find me? Was I the only molecule in motion? Did you find it mysterious when I was the heart of your devotion? Aaaaahh!

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