You can't get to Brooklyn riding on the uptown train You're gonna be a crook until you stop dealing in cocaine Still you provide for your family any way that you still can And you remember when they told you you would always be the man

The way we prey
On each other, on each other
Go on, show a little faith in me
Go on, show a little faith in me

You know the times are tougher, tougher than they've ever been before

Because the streets are rougher, rougher than the bedroom door You try to change the weather even though you know it's a mista ke

Because the heart's a soldier, even though you know it's gonna break

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It's a real tough life when you're searching for ecstasy Go on, show a little faith in me

Sometimes the path to freedom is the one that no one else belie ves

Sometimes to rise above them you have to get down on you knees

Try to pray
For each other, for each other
Go on, show a little faith in me
Go on, show a little faith in me

It's a real tough life when you're searching for ecstasy So go on, show a little faith in me