

## Native Son

Alter Bridge

Fate  
Giver of life now is all but dead and gone  
Pain  
Left to die in blood drenched fields or driven off

Now nothing remains  
A ritual tamed  
What's taken away  
We will never replace, no

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And I'm just living in a world I can't understand

Time  
Marching forward brings a slow and cruel decay  
As I fight  
For the heritage so many died to save

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Fractured and cut off from all we had  
Severed all that's sacred now we stand  
Strangers left to wander this strange land

Now I'm a native son in a foreign land  
And I'm just living in a world that I can't understand  
I look around and see that my world is gone  
Still I keep trying to fit in where I don't belong