

## It's A Sin

## And One

When I look back upon my life  
It's always with a sense of shame  
I've always been the one to blame  
For everything I long to do  
No matter when or where or who  
Has one thing in common, too

It's a, it's a, it's a, it's a sin  
It's a sin  
Everything I've ever done  
Everything I ever do  
Every place I've ever been  
Everywhere I'm going to  
It's a sin

At school they taught me how to be  
So pure in thought and word and deed  
They didn't quite succeed  
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Father, forgive me, I tried not to do it  
Turned over a new leaf, then tore right through it  
Whatever you taught me, I didn't believe it  
Father, you fought me, 'cause I didn't care  
And I still don't understand

So I look back upon my life  
Forever with a sense of shame  
I've always been the one to blame  
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(Confiteor Deo omnipotenti vobis fratres, quia peccavi nimis cogitatione,  
verbo, opere et omissione, mea culpa, mea culpa, mea maxima culpa)  
(trans. "I confess to almighty god,  
and to you my brothers,  
that I have sinned exceedingly

in thought, word, act and omission,  
through my fault, through my fault,  
through my most grievous fault")