

# Living My Life

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Ooooh  
La la la  
La la la  
Mmmmm  
Hey yea  
No no  
Mmm  
Oh no  
Hmmmm

Oooh I'm so happy that I'm  
Livin' my life  
I never knew what I went through  
But hoped everything'd turn out right  
I'm rememberin' the days that I was holdin' my head down  
When people came around I always pretended to smile  
But I knew  
Deep in my heart  
That I was slowly  
Fallin apart  
Some days  
All I wanted  
Was to hold my mother's hand  
And hear her say  
"Baby...  
You're gonna make it"  
Over and over again  
So I

And I been livin' my life for quite some time  
(Livin' my life)  
And I'm  
So glad I made it this far  
(oh)  
And  
Nothin' gonna bring me back down  
And  
Nothin' gonna turn me around  
(turn me around)

And I been livin' my life for quite some time  
And I'm  
So glad I made it this far  
(so glad)  
And  
Nothin' gonna bring me back down  
And  
Nothin' gonna turn me around

Don't want nobody to think  
It was easy for me  
It took a while just to get down  
Too many people just didn't believe  
I'm remembering the sacrifices that I had to make  
I would cry myself to sleep and say that it would be ok  
But I knew  
That if I prayed

That I would be on my way someday  
Some times  
All I wanted  
Was to hear my father say  
He would say  
"Baby...  
You're gonna make it  
And I don't care what people say"  
So I'm

And I been livin' my life for quite some time  
And I'm  
So glad I made it this far  
And  
Nothin' gonna bring me back down  
(Bring me back down)  
And  
Nothin' gonna turn me around  
(Turn me around)

And I been livin' my life for quite some time  
And I'm  
So glad I made it this far  
And  
Nothin' gonna bring me back down  
(Bring me back down)  
And  
Nothin' gonna turn me around  
(Turn me around)

Oh I want the world to see  
Everything that's happened to me  
I went from goin' out my mind  
To always on time  
And I am no longer a fool  
Since my days are cold without you  
And I'm so  
(I'm so)  
Happy  
(Happy)  
Baby baby babe  
Said I'm so  
(I'm so)  
Happy  
(Happy)  
Baby baby babe

And I been livin' my life for quite some time  
And I'm  
So glad I made it this far  
(So glad)  
And  
Nothin' gonna bring me back down  
(Nothing)  
And  
Nothin' gonna turn me around  
(And oooooooh)

And I been livin' my life for quite some time  
And I'm so glad I made it this far  
(Yeah yeah)  
And  
Nothin' gonna bring me back down

(Bring me back down)  
And  
Nothin' gonna turn me around  
(Turn me around)