## By & By

## Chumbawamba

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Catch your breath, feel the life in your bones Enjoy what's to come, not the things that we've done. Save all your prayers, take the pain and the hurt Add your chorus to my verse

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Forget that glorious land above the sky
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I dreamed I saw Joe Hill last night
Alive as you and me
Says I, "But Joe, you're ten years dead"
"I never died," said he.