

# Falling Awake

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Eagle in the dark  
Feathers in the pages.  
Monkeys in my heart  
Are rattling their cages.

Found a way to blue  
And another ghost to follow  
Said "it's only up to you"  
And that's the hardest pill to swallow.

You never get to choose  
You live on what they sent you  
And you know they're gonna use  
The things you love against you

One foot in the grave  
One foot in the shower  
There's never time to save  
You're paying by the hour

And that's just the way it goes  
Falling awake  
And that's just the way it goes

Slipping through the bars  
Aware of the danger  
Of riding in the cars  
Taking candy from strangers

And it's never out of hand  
Never out of pocket  
I'm supersonic man  
Do you wanna buy a rocket?

And that's just the way it goes  
Falling awake, falling awake  
Oh that's just the way it goes  
Falling awake, falling awake

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I could learn to play the game  
I could learn to run the hustle  
If I only had the brains  
The money or the muscle