Falling Awake

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

Gary Jules