1. As I stepped to the edge Beyond the shadow of a doubt With my conscience beating Like the pulse of a drum That hammers on and on Until I reach the break of the day

When the sun beats down
On the halfway house
Has my conscience beating
The sound in my ear
The will to persevere
As I reach the break of the day

- R: When you lost all hope and excuses and the cheapskates and the losers Nothing's left to cling on to Got to hold on hold on to yourself
- 2. A cry of hope
   A plea for peace
   And my conscience beating
   It's not what I want for
   It's all that I need
   To reach the break of the Day

So I run to the edge
Beyond the shadows of a doubt
With my conscience bleeding
Here lies the truth
The lost treasures of my youth
As I hold on to the break of the day

R: When you lost...

When you lost all hope and excuses
And the cheapstakes and the losers
Nothing's left to cling onto
You gotta hold on
You gotta hold on
Hold on
Hold on to yourself