

# Off And Running

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Answer me when I call to you  
What became of the life I knew  
Tell me why I can't be free  
Tell me what you expect of me  
I'm so down about it  
I can't sleep at night  
I sit watching the bugs as they bounce off the light

Answer me when I'm calling out  
Tell me what's all the noise about  
Explain to me the rules of love  
Tell me just what I'm guilty of  
I somehow I must've missed it  
I never knew I was blind  
Repeat it real slow so I get it this time

I'm off and running to take what's mine  
I'm off and running again

I 'm off and running  
To take what's mine  
I'm off and running  
And I won't get caught this time  
With my soul on empty and my face to the wind  
I'm off and running  
I'm off and running again

Answer me when I call your name  
What'd you do with my ball and chain?  
I'm out here in the open air  
And I can't find it anywhere  
And I'm so lost without it  
It was such a part of me  
I guess I'll get along  
How hard can it be?