Election Night

John Wesley Harding

I met you on election night As we cried over our beers Nothing you could do would cheer me up We broke up later that year How come you and I aren't winners? Why weren't we born the other side? And it's raining It's raining On election night

You fight, you fight and nothing changes And when it does the payback's worse We arrived here in limo We drove home in a hearse And we are none the wiser I guess that we're just not so bright So I'll see you Yes I'll see you Next election night

The balloons look so deflated As they burst and float on down It's been 4 years that we've waited For those balloons to hit the ground Looks like you backed a real loser Who thinks that life is black and white But he'll be back again We'll be back again Next election night