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Can't fall down, never give in A lucky star could be following you You've got to show a little giving Every day when it's possible to Mama, make my grey sky blue

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I said, yeah, yeah Shake out, yeah, yeah

We grew up by the mountain
Dirty marks in the palm of our hands
We got the eye for accounting
We got the pain of a family man
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