

## Cash

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Here we go around again  
Curve of life spiraling  
Everything we've ever known  
As the seed of life gets blown

And the miracle of time  
When will that time just end?

Remember, you decide to take that vow  
Grab that ring it's not a whim, not a whim  
When you'd be cashing in

Try to turn your life around  
And all the things you do resound  
And then you can't lose control  
Say, your time has come and then

Hard to pinpoint find the seam  
Where that one time ends  
Where that time begins

Remember, you decide take to that vow  
Take a stand, grab that ring  
It's not a whim, it's not a whim  
It's only time that you're cashing in

In the white noise of desire  
We can't hear a single thing  
Floating 'round the fragile bough  
The afflictions of the human soul  
It's beauty immaterial

You decide, stand along the fallen ones  
Take revenge, defeated sons  
Rend that coat from seam to seam  
It's only time, it's only time  
That you spend, you spend

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It's only time, you spend  
It's only life that you're cashing in