

# Nothing In This World

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Is there something in your eye that looks like anger  
Is it loneliness that made you be that hard  
Still the lights from that far shore  
Seem to linger in the blood beneath those scars

And it's not easy to remember in the city  
That there's someone who's still lighting the stars  
And that there's

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I feel the wind cut through the alley just to slice you  
Like a razor running down your veins  
How the devil uses hatred to entice you  
Don't play a losing hand in his game

Don't give up when all the others seem to mock you  
Though you feel your spirit's starting to wane  
Because there's

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Nobody knows where and how much it hurts  
Better than the One who's been there  
Nobody's been there more than the Lord

And when all those aches say to quit  
The answer's look up ahead  
And you can't go back now  
There's nothing to go back for

Is growth worth the growing pains  
(I can't go back too much on the line)  
But now that you're running  
Look at the strength you've gained  
(Look at the junk I've been able to leave behind)

None was worth it's weight  
It tied me down too long  
I've thrown it off  
I won't take it back on  
It back on  
(Cause I'm doing it one better)  
Leave behind the hate  
(I'm going one up)  
Hate did you no good  
(I'm gonna leave behind the devil)  
Wasn't worth it's weight  
(I'm going to hang on to His love)

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