World Start Turning

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I was born in the Southern Land Yeah, a million miles from America And whatever we wanted was just a matter of choosing And I was raised in the Great White Way Just like all those kids in America And the T.V. taught us to win with no thought of losing (then I woke up)

This is the real world, the real town without pity This is the real world, in the shadow of the city This is the real wheel, You don't get too many spins This is the real deal, not everybody wins

Just another soul lost in America I was so frustrated and I got so lonely It almost took a miracle to open my eyes

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We were taught if man believes in What he wants in America It's only a matter of time, just a matter of seasons But I walk through the houses of dreams that died I see the ones still trapped there the ones that tried But spent the rest of their lives wondering why And searching for reasons (and they never wake up)

This is the real world, you've got to know just when to bend Here in the world, precious little matters in the end This is the real world, the real town without pity This is the real world, in the shadow of the city

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You can't stop the world, cant' stop the world

Never could settle for where I was

Too many places I was trying to be The times I succeeded and the times I failed You know that no one will remember but me

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