

# The Best Years of Our Lives

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When I was young and restless I wasted so much time  
Halfway stoned and halfway out of my mind  
Well I don't feel that much different though now I realize

These are the best years of our lives  
These are the best years that we're living in

And I know that someday later we're gonna reach the end  
Though time stacks up against us the fire inside still thrives

These are the best years of our lives  
These are the best years that we're living through

Then I know that someday later you're gonna know that too  
There's so much more to living now than the kind of car we drive

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