

## Ordinary People

### Swing Out Sister

What you see may only be skin deep  
But what you feel inside is there for keeps  
Can't know happiness 'till you've been sad  
But tears drown all the joy you ever had

Talkin' about people  
Who spreads wanton hurt  
Talkin' about people  
Still waiting for their turn  
Talkin' about people  
Living in uncertainty  
Ordinary people  
People like you and me

Seen your life before you slip away  
Hanging on to every irish day  
Can't keep up the face  
But can't slow down  
Life's a rat race there's no short way around

Talkin' about people  
Who didn't make the grade  
Talkin' about people  
Who's just another paid  
Talkin about people  
Holdin' on for dignity  
Ordinary people  
People like you and me

You may have nothing else but you've got pride  
You have nothing else but you've got pride  
Until there's nothing to sacrifice  
We'll survive  
We'll survive  
Talkin' about people

Talkin' about people  
Existing from day to day  
Talkin' about people  
Who lost their way  
Talkin' about people  
Living by destiny  
Ordinary people  
Like you and me

When hunger bites you deep down inside  
You may have nothing else but you've got pride  
And when there's nowhere to run or hide  
You'll find there's no short cut and there's no rewrite  
Until there's nothing to sacrifice  
We'll survive  
Never give up till it's gone  
Together we'll be strong  
We'll survive

In this we breathe the same air  
We cherish our children

Never give up until it's gone  
We'll survive