

## Rhythm Guitar

The Oak Ridge Boys

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Everybody wants to be the lead singer in the band

A preacher I once talked to in Washington DC  
He told me preaching the gospel isn't all that it should be  
I said that it didn't really surprise me but I've often wonder  
why  
I never forget the words he said or the look that was in his eye

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It seems like Everybody wants to be the lead singer in the band  
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When everybody pushing for the head of the line  
I know it ain't working out at all the way he planned when

I once shared a pizza with a pop star on the new york city street  
He was the most unhappy prophet you would ever want to meet  
He said he really wanted to save the world he just couldn't imagine how  
But he'd written a song about what's gone wrong and I'm singing  
it now

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