

# Nothing Ever Changes But The Shoes

The Wildhearts

In the trials of my youth, on my way to being man  
There were caustic words of ill advice  
I'd never understand  
But their hometown dreams were shattered  
When ambition foiled their plans  
But you can't be the one who tries  
They love to criticise  
I know, or at least they'll try, c'mon!

Laughing is all that I can do  
Trying to keep from falling through  
Nothing ever changes, nothing ever changes  
They all got advice to give  
'cos they got no life to live  
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In my one-man crusade doing what I knew was right  
They would tempt me with the honest sweat  
Of labour, love and life  
And they only find respect for you  
If you give up the fight  
Oh but you can't be the one who tries  
They'll cut you down to size  
I know ... or at least they'll try, c'mon!

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I wanna be there when you say you're wrong  
I wanna be there when you crawl  
I wouldn't piss on your opinions  
And if I stand on top of the world  
Then maybe I'll find somebody I know  
And if I don't

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