

# A Change Is Gonna Come

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I was born by the river in a little tent  
Oh, and like that river I've been running ever since  
It's been a long, long time coming  
But I know a change is gonna come  
Oh yes it is

It's been too hard living and I'm afraid to die  
I don't know what's up there beyond the sky  
It's been a long, a long time coming  
But I know a change is gonna come  
Oh yes it is

I go to the movies and I go around in town  
Everybody there keeps telling me, "Don't hang around"  
It's been a long, a long time coming  
But I know a change is gonna come  
Oh yes it is

Then I go to my brother  
And I say "Brother, please"  
But he just winds up knocking me  
Back down on my knees

Sometimes I thought I wouldn't last for long  
But now I think I'm able to carry on  
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I know a change is gonna come  
Oh yes it is, oh yes it is  
Oh a change's gonna come, oh yes it is, I know