Different Things

The first thing that I reach for every morning Is a pack of smokes layin' by my bed Yes, I've read the surgeon general's warning But that don't take the warning out of them

What I want and what I need Have always been different things

The last thing mama reached for every Sunday Was my mortal soul as she walked out the door She'd say, 'Boy, you're gonna need Him someday' But I wanted to sleep off the night before

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What I want is to give up Just let go and walk out on us But what I need is to see this through Oh, and find a way back to you

The last thing that I reach for every evening Is a woman who I can't reach anymore Time has worn the new off of the feeling And right now I want to just walk out the door

But what I want and what I need Have always been different things What I want and what I need Have always been different things

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