

# All Our Lives

## Andrew McMahon In the Wilderness

Advisory - the following lyrics contain explicit language:

I saw this old friend at the Eveleigh bar  
Life hadn't treated him so well  
A heart so gold, and words so blue  
In a body home from hell He said, "If I could tell you one thing, I would tell you this:  
There's only one mistake that I have made  
It's giving up the music in my fingertips  
By trying to get to heaven through my veins." All our lives  
I watched you search beneath the fallen skies  
This was no path to glory  
You always walked before me  
But you came back to warn me  
All our lives I saw this woman with tears in her eyes  
Driving beside me yesterday  
She turned her head, then I turned mine  
And I watched her drive away I thought, if I could tell her something, I would tell her this  
There's only two mistakes that I have made  
It's running from the people who could love me best  
And trying to fix a world that I can't change All our lives  
I watched you search beneath the fallen skies  
This was no path to glory  
You always walked before me  
But you came back to warn me  
All our lives I remember being young and staring at my hands  
In the middle of the night, the first light of the morning  
My room like a church, voices down the hall  
I barely made 'em out, but sometimes you don't want to know  
Now that I'm older, I can tell you this  
The mornings I miss, but I don't really miss the voices  
You've got a choice, I've got the hands  
Skeletons and plans, you've got to let 'em go All our lives  
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