Higher Wall

New Model Army

We're out here on the borders with our favorite few possessions

Trading stories whispered round the fire

As shadows in the searchlights, mugshots in the files

Waiting in the camps behind the wireKick the door until it opens, what you have you cannot hold We are young, forever hungry, you are fat and growing oldAnd every day you try to build a higher wall, a higher wall

Every day you try to build a higher wall, a higher wallWe picked the leaves of coca, we stack the crates of cola We wait upon the tables where you dine

And we learn from you not to accept the little that we're given

To take the piece of silver where we can and clutching at these papers in another office line
We're staring from the darkness up at windows filled with lightAnd every day you try to build a higher wall, a
higher wall

Every day you try to build a higher wall, a higher wall Every day you try to build a higher wall, a higher wall

Every day you try to build a higher wall, a higher wallIn my town we used to pray to idols sent from far away From out beyond the dusty days, we heard your voices call

And in your town the streets are cleaned The order stands, the sirens scream

You talk of peace, vacation dreams and reinforce the wallNow in your queues at immigration, in the border zone We are your bastard children, yeah, all coming homeAnd still day you try, you try to build a higher wall, a higher wall

Every day you try to build a higher wall, a higher wallAnd your money cannot stop us

And your theory cannot stop us

No you will never stop us with your higher wall

Your higher wall

Your higher wall

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