No One Listen

Ray Davies

Why is it difficult to get things done

In the age of computers and communication?

The powers that be say they can't keep a hold

Of a world that is escalating out of controlOut on the street there's a war going on

And everything is going wild

But a bureaucrat says, "We've lost your file

So we'll put you on hold for a while "Hey man, call the D.A.

Call the National Guard, call the president

Call anyone in the land of the free

'Cause they ain't gonna listen to meCall the P.D., the emergency vacuation

The Dalai Lama, Kofi Annan

And they ain't gonna listen to meThe voice on the phone says, 'We'll get right back'

But they say all the computers are down

And the chief prosecutor had to go out of town

No one listen, nobody listens, no one listens to meNow we've got you in the system

Somebody's gonna get back to you

Then in a few more years we'll give your case a review

No one listen, nobody listens, they ain't gonna listen to meHey man, call the Government

Write to City Hall, United Nations

Tell the preacher at the missionary

'Cause they ain't gonna listen to meBlame the hurricane, blame the drug trade, the economy

Blame the ghettos in the land of the free

'Cause they ain't gonna listen to me

They ain't gonna listen to meEverybody knows it's a cryin' shame

How the little guy gets kicked around

Everybody I talk to agrees that if you wanna get heard

It's connections that countI was minding my business

When a bad situation occurred, shock, horror and fear

Now the outcome is still unclear

Hey man, I am the innocent party here

They ain't gonna listen to meTell the National Guard

Tell the talk show on the TV

Tell the winos in the old man bar

Cause they ain't gonna listen to meNow I'm stuck here in their system

They ain't gonna listen, nobody listens

They ain't gonna listen to me

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