

# Mama Used to Say

## Junior

Ooh  
Yeah, girl

Said a small boy once asked, When will I grow up  
When will I see what grownups do see...  
In his fight to come of age, he would have to know the age  
To be recognized is when I'm not unmasked

And mama used to say, Take your time, young man...  
Mama used to say, Don't you rush to get old...  
Mama used to say, Take it in your stride...  
Mama used to say, Live your life...

As the years went rushin' by he would cut down on his age  
He would tell his girl of how it used to be  
How his mommy passed away, but these lines she would say  
And at the time he couldn't understand

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Mama used to say, Take it in your stride...  
Mama used to say, Live your life...

You're young, so young, don't hold on back  
Do all you want to do  
Now is the time for you to stride  
For you to get better in what you are doin', oh

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Mama used to say, Take it in your stride...

Mama used to say, Live your life, live your life, live your life, oh...

Hey, mama used to say, Take your time, young man...

Mama used to say, Don't you rush to get old...

Mama used to say, Take it in your stride...

Mama used to say, Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey...

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