

# New World

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I WOKE UP ON A SIDEWALK IN A DREAM WHERE NO ONE HEARD A SINGLE WORD I SCREAMED  
IT WAS SOMEWHERE IN THE FUTURE, THIS IS NOT THE PERFECT WORLD THAT I THOUGHT IT  
WOULD BE

I WANDERED BY THE WHITE HOUSE, ALL THE WEEDS AND BROKEN BOTTLES SCATTERED  
EVERYWHERE

ALL THE GREED AND BAD INTENTIONS, OUR REFUSAL TO PREVENT THEM,  
I JUST STOOD AND STARED

EMPTY HIGHWAYS, FLOODED TOWNS  
IS IT WAY TOO LATE TO TURN IT ALL AROUND  
TAKE YOUR SOUL AND THROW IT AWAY  
YOU WON'T NEED IT IN THE NEW WORLD  
WHERE THERE'S NO ONE LEFT TO SAVE

WE GOTTA TAKE OUR STAND, IT'S JUDGEMENT DAY  
IF WE IGNORE THE FINAL WARNING  
IT'S A NEW WORLD

WE GOTTA PAY FOR OUR HISTORY

I WOKE UP FEELING SHITTY, DRANK A HALF A POT OF COFFEE JUST TO CLEAR MY HEAD  
AS I READ THE MORNING PAPER, I'M NOT FEELING ANY SAFER,  
AFTER WHAT I JUST READ

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FOLLOW ME NOW TO HIGHER GROUND  
IF WE WAIT ANY LONGER THEN THIS WORLD WILL TUMBLE DOWN  
THOSE WHO WERE LOST SOON WILL BE FOUND

IT'S OUR DESTINY

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