

# Smell the Roses

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Verse: 1

Sitting here at a crossroad baby  
Hoping for a sign to guide me maybe I should  
Stop tryin to turn water into wine and  
Start looking for some piece of mind

Verse: 2

We keep searching for the ultimate better  
But lose ourselves in the long run whether itâ€™s  
Work or Cocaine weâ€™ve all got an addiction,  
We lose ourselves when we accept our convictions now

Chorus:

We fight wars for peace  
And have sex for keeps  
We sit in our schools listenin to  
Someone elseâ€™s robotic rules

We try and stay alive  
Through these harder times with these harsher minds  
When all we want to do is  
Just smell the roses

Verse: 3

Racin around like rats in a maze  
Hopin for epiphanies within our daze  
If itâ€™s true what they say we see better when blind  
Forget it all babe we should be seein all the time

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Bridge:

You gotta find your inventor  
And it might not be today  
Can't be caught under a shadow  
Gotta lead your own parade

You'll find that words that held such meaning  
Like pride that held you in chains  
Won't mean much when life keeps turning  
Cause words can always be erased

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