

# Hope in a Hopeless World

**Rob Drabkin**

Baby born in New York city  
Wrapped in a blanket all tattered and worn  
Mama's doing the best that she can  
It takes hope in a hopeless world  
Her eldest son, he stayed in school  
Listened to his mother, he never drank or used  
And every job he wants he gets refused  
It takes hope in a hopeless world  
Looking for hope in a hopeless world  
Trying to find love in these hateful times  
Trying to stay strong but my mind is weak  
Looking for hope in a hopeless world  
Churches are full, but the prayers are not heard  
Saturday's child don't wanna to go to Sunday school  
Whatever happened to the golden rule  
It takes hope in a hopeless world  
Do you got a quarter for the homeless man  
Spare some change for the soldiers who fought the war  
Put a little money in those hats and those tins  
Give them hope in a hopeless world  
Looking for hope in a hopeless world  
Trying to find love in these hateful times  
Trying to stay strong but my mind is weak  
Looking for hope in a hopeless world  
Ooh, somebody out there gotta listen  
Somebody out there got to know what pops been talking about  
Raise your hand, raise your hands if you're with him  
Give us hope in a hopeless world  
Looking for hope in a hopeless world  
Trying to find love in these hateful times  
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Looking for hope in a hopeless world  
Can't be standing still

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