

# Just Kids

## Mat Kearney

'Cause it was Bell Biv DeVoe, playing on my radio  
And I had Wu-Tang Clan living in my stereo  
Mama said we're 6th generation Oregonians  
I was rocking in Jordans with reflector tongues  
Two kids with wet cement living down in their souls  
They say what gets caught when you're young  
Stays there when you're old  
So misunderstood they say  
You're up to no good  
And now we're trying our best  
To start it over again If I'd had met you at the playground  
Before a hand could tear your world down  
Before I slammed down the door and  
You said I'm just like my old man  
Before I put you in those boxes  
And we learned how to disagree  
And how your family is a rocket  
That blows up in infidelity For crying out loud I wanna know  
How the waves keep on crashing down the doors  
Feel the weight of the world and they keep on bringing more  
If it's just you and me on the floor  
Go grab your coat and I'll drive us home  
Like we were just kids  
Just, j-j-just kids  
J-j-just kids, just, just kids  
Like we were just kids  
Just kids, j-j-just kids  
J-j-just kids, j-j-just kids Bob Marley was painted on  
My high-school walls  
But I just disappeared  
Into the darkroom hall  
Never thought I'd ever  
Make it quite this far  
Teacher put up my photographs  
Say "son you'll be a star"  
It was smoking mirrors  
Running down through my veins  
I kept on running downtown  
Running from God's grace

Every morning I'd climb back through  
Those window panes  
And try my best to ride it out  
Over instrumental tapes If I'd had met you at the playground  
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Just kids, j-j-just kids  
J-j-just kids, j-j-just kids I can feel it in the way we try  
I can feel it in the way we fight  
We're standing side by side  
Like we were just kids I can feel it in the way we try  
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