Walk a Mile In My Shoes

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If I could be you

And you could be me

For just one hour

If we could find a way

To get inside

Each other's mind, mmm

If you could see you

Through your eyes

Instead of your ego

I believe you'd be

Surprised to see

That you'd been blind, mmmWalk a mile in my shoes

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Hey, before you abuse, criticize and accuse

Walk a mile in my shoesNow your whole world

You see around you

Is just a reflection

And the law of karma

Says you're gonna reap

Just what you sow, yes you will

So unless

You've lived a life of

Total perfection

You'd better be careful

Of every stone

That you should throw, yeahAnd yet we spend the day

Throwing stones

At one another

'Cause I don't think

Or wear my hair

The same way you do, mmm

Well I may be

Common people

But I'm your brother

And when you strike out

And try to hurt me

It's a-hurtin' you, lord have mercyWalk a mile in my shoes

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Hey, before you abuse, criticize and accuse

Walk a mile in my shoesThere are people On reservations And out in the ghettos And brother there But for the grace of God Go you and I, yeah, yeah If I only Had the wings Of a little angel Don't you know I'd fly To the top of the mountain And then I'd cryWalk a mile in my shoes Walk a mile in my shoes Hey, before you abuse, criticize and accuse Better walk a mile in my shoesWalk a mile in my shoes Walk a mile in my shoes Uh, before you abuse, criticize and accuse Walk a mile in my shoes, yeahWalk a mile in my shoes

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