

# Hakuna Matata

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When I was a cool young one  
(When she was a cool young one)  
I worked in the colony, paying my due  
Accepting without question the prevailing views  
That a young girl's life was one long grind  
Digging hole, standing guard  
'Til it crossed my mind, I was wrong, all along  
All that I needed was to have heeded

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When I was a shallow youth

(When she was a shallow youth)

Cool calm reflection, I was never that good

I was a pawn in the game

I saw no trees for the wood

My future stretched behind me

I was over the hill

I put my best foot forward but the other stood still

Take my word

(Take her word)

I have heard

(She has heard)

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I hope I have conveyed  
You don't have to bust a gut in the sun  
It's much cooler in the shade  
Some say it's just a waste of time  
But they don't realize  
That view is nothing but a crime  
We are creatures worldly wise  
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