

# Ordinary Man

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After it happened, when all the smoke cleared,  
How did it feel to you? Did it seem weird?  
Such a charmed life, nothing ever mattered,  
Everything was yours to take  
One mistake and  
Everything fell apart, everything changed,  
Sitting there bleeding out, isn't it strange?  
When they hit you, you can feel them hit you,  
Weaknesses they all can see  
Just like me Now your heart's all done  
But your head won't let you run  
You're dying where you stand.  
All this "wait and see",  
All this "what will be, will be",  
That sounds like the plan  
Of an ordinary man  
You say no one tells you the ending  
But it ends this way  
You can take it back if you wanted  
But it might be over anyway Haven't you done enough saving by now?  
Can't they take care of each other somehow?  
All the questions: "Is it really over?"  
"Is he gonna take the fall?"  
Worst of all  
You start to think maybe they're right about you  
Maybe it's over now, maybe it's true  
And you know you're never gonna stand up  
Be who you're supposed to be  
Just like me  
'Cause your heart's all done  
But your head won't let you run  
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