

# A Soapbox Opera

## Supertramp

I hear only what I want to hear  
But, I have to believe in something  
Have to believe just the one thing I said, "Father Washington, you're all mixed up  
Collecting sinners in an old tin cup  
Well, spare a listen for a restless fool  
There's something missing when I need your rules" Well, hey there  
And you tell me you're a holy man  
But, although I am just a beginner  
Oh I don't see you as a winner I said, "Sister Robinson, you're all washed up  
Collecting teardrops in a paper cup  
If I could tell you what you need to know  
If I could help you to get on with the show" But Father Ebenezer  
There's a storm in my head  
Makes me feel what you said  
Just wasn't true So, what am I to do?  
Well, what is she to do?  
Oh, what is there to do?  
Yeah baby go to the play All creatures great and small  
All things wise and wonderful  
The Lord, God made them all Mary, oh tell me what I'm living for  
Because I feel like I'm tossed in the river  
Oh have You a son to deliver? I said, "Father Washington, you're all mixed up  
Collecting sinners in an old tin cup  
You tell the children what they need to know  
But, will they listen when it's time to go" Oh, Sister Robinson, you're all washed up  
Collecting teardrops in a paper cup  
Can someone tell me what I need to know?  
Can someone help me to get on with the show?

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