When You're Young

Jimmy Cliff

Be wise, be free when you're young
When you're youngWell, someone told me, not long ago now
You're only young but for once
It's the one time in a lifetime
There is no second chance, second chanceSo when you're young
Hold your head high and hold on to your dreams
There's a world waiting out there
Not always what it seemsBe wise, be free when you're young
When you're youngIt's said, you got your freedom to make your own rules
Be nobody's footstool

And you may try now to change the world too
But don't let it change you, it can't change youSo when you're young
Hold your head high and hold on to your dreams
There's a world waiting out there
Not always what it seemsWhen you're young
When you're youngYou see that many a people in my time of mend
Telling tales of regret

Step aside Grandma, step aside Grandpa

There are somethings I must get, I must getWhen you're young
Hold your head high and hold on to your dreams
There's a world waiting out there
Not always what it seemsWhen you're young
When you're young
You know it's the right time
You know it's the right timeSaid, I know
(When you're young)

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