

# What Can I Do (Featuring Kelly Price)

## Scarface

What can I do?  
What can I do, to make it better?  
Yeah, yeah I thank the Lord, for every morning, he allows me to rise  
And though the sun is shining, there's a cloud in the sky  
Lettin' me know, that at any moment, there could be rain  
And as beautiful as life is, there still can be pain  
Down the park, I hear the sirens, just screamin' away  
And then the inevitable happens, the end of them days  
As sad as it sounds, but that's the price we all gotta pay  
And the whole world knows God giveth, will taketh away (will taketh away)  
I live and I learn, I sit and watch my cigarette burn  
Down to the ash, it reminds me of the now and the past  
I say a little prayer, cause eventually I'll stand in the path  
Of the souls and dark rows that lead to rest Do you hear them, crying?  
Waiting for someone to come and dry their tears (someone like you and me)  
Take away their fears And then a child is born  
Bloody naked, clingin' to life  
Unaware of his surroundin's or breathin' is right  
In the arms of his mother as he looks in her eyes  
He takes his first breath and he screams (baby's alive)  
At the same time, another mother, murders her kids  
And the unbarable thought of this here just brings me to tears  
It's hard enough we gotta raise our kids to live in this world  
So full of hate with no faith, and killin' your pearls  
And sometimes, I sit it down, and wonder myself  
But then again, I ain't Jesus, and I can't help  
All I can do, is hope I never live with the fact  
That I hurt one of my seeds 'cause dealin' with that  
Would be the hardest thing, I'd ever have to do in my time  
I'd have to take my own life too, and I couldn't climb  
The stairway that you hear me singin' bout it in my rhyme  
And a parent hurtin' his kid ain't decidin' the time  
I know it's truth, the next day, we just livin' to die  
But I believe if you livin' right, you'll live in the sky  
Lookin' down on the good and the bad, the world as a whole  
And hopefully you did what you did, before you had to go Do you hear them, crying?  
Waiting for someone to come and dry their tears  
(Someone to dry their tears) Take away their fears  
Can I make it, better? (I want to make it better)

Can I ease the pain that they are goin' through? (they're through)  
What can I do?  
What can I do? I say goodbye to you cruel world, I see peace in the red sky  
I see the beast when the dead die, relief when my head's high  
Hear the streets up ahead cry, when the heat from the lead fly  
Felt the grief when I said bye, before the sheets on my bed dried  
The turn of the table, the tale of this tape  
The destruction of human flesh of the not so great  
The long list of the John doe's that accompany the spirit  
As the yells of the souls lost with hopes that god hears it  
The resurrections of empty hearts crowd in the room  
Muffled sounds of the outside echo the tomb, but I'm cool, I'm cool  
Do you hear me?  
I'm cryin' Do you hear them, crying?  
Waiting for someone to come and dry their tears  
(Someone to dry their tears)  
Take away their fears (take away their fears)  
Can I make it, better? (gonna make it better)  
Can I ease the pain that they are goin' through?  
(Everything they're goin' through) What can I do?  
What can I do?

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