One Way

Levellers

There's only one way of life

And that's your own, your ownMy father when I was younger took me up on to the hill

That looks down on the city smog and above the factory spill

He said, "Now this is where I come when I wanted to be free"

But he never was in his lifetime, but these words stuck with me, heyAnd so I ran from all of this and I climbed that highest hill

I looked down on to my life above the factory spill

I looked down onto my life as the family disgrace

Then all my friends on the starting line their wages off to chase

Yes and all my friends and all their jobs and all the bloody wasteThere's only one way of life

And that's your own, your own, your own

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And that's your own, that's your own, that's your ownWell, well, when I grew up, learned to love and laugh

Circled as on the underpass the noise we thought would never stop

Died a death as the punks grew up, we choked on all our dreams

We rustled with our fears

We're running through the heartless concrete streets chasing our ideas runAnd all the problems of the world

won't be solved by this guitar

And they won't stop coming either by the life I've had so far

And the bright lights of my home town won't be getting any dimmer

Though their calling has receded like some old distant singer

And they don't look so appealing to the eyes of this poor sinner There's only one way of life

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There's only one way of life

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And that's your own, that's your own, that's your own

Oh, only one way of life

And that's your own, that's your own, that's your own That's your own

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