

I Shall Be Released

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They say everything can be replaced
They say every distance is not near
So I remember every face
Of every man who put me here I see the light come shining
From the west down to the east
Any day now, any day now
I shall be released They say every man needs protection
They say every man must fall
So, I swear I see my reflection
Somewhere inside these walls I see my light come shining
From the west down to the east
Any day now, any day now
I shall be released Yonder standing me in this lonely crowd
A man who says he's not to blame
All day long I hear him hollering so loud
Just crying out that he's not to blame I see my light come shining
From the west down to the east
Any day now, any day now
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