All the Young Punks (New Boots and Contracts)

The Clash

I'm hanging about down the market street

I spent a lot of time on my feet

When I saw some passing yabbos

And we did chance to speakBut I knew how to sing, you know

And they knew how to pose

And one of them had a Les Paul

Heart attack machineAll the young punks, laugh your life

'Cos there ain't much to cry for

All you young cunts, live it now

'Cos there ain't much to die for All the young punks, laugh your life

'Cos there ain't much to cry for

All you young cunts, live it now

'Cos there ain't much to die forEverybody wants to bum a ride on the rock 'n' roller coaster

And we went out and got our name in small print on the poster

Of course we got a manager and though he ain't the mafia

A contract is a contract, when they get 'em out of hereAll the young punks, laugh your life

'Cos there ain't much to cry for

All you young cunts, live it now

'Cos there ain't much to die for All you young punks, laugh your life

'Cos there ain't much to cry for

All you young cunts, live it now

'Cos there ain't much to die for You gotta drag yourself to work

Drug yourself to sleep

You're dead from the neck up

By the middle of the weekFace front you got the future

Shining like a piece of gold

But I swear as we get closer

It look more like a lump of coalBut it's better than some factory

Now that's no place to waste your youth

I worked there for a week once

And I luckily got the bootAll the young punks, laugh your life

'Cos there ain't much to cry for

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