Authority Song

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They like to get you in a compromising position Well, they like to get you there and smile in your face Yeah, they think they're so cute when they got you in that condition But I think it's a total disgrace

> And I say...I fight authority, Authority always wins Well, I fight authority, Authority always wins Well, I've been doing it since I was a young kid

> > And I come out grinnin'

Well, I fight authority, Authority always wins (Oh yeah!)I call up my preacher I say, "Give me strength for round 5."

He said, "You don't need no strength, you need to grow up son." I said, "Growin' up leads to growin' old and then to dyin', Ooo, and dyin' to me don't sound like all that much fun."

And so I'll say...

I fight authority, Authority always wins Well, I fight authority, Authority always wins Well, I've been doing it since I was a young kid I come out grinnin'

Well, I fight authority, Authority always winsI say: oh no, no no

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I fight authority, Authority always wins I fight authority, Authority always wins (kick it in)

I've been doing it since I was a young kid

And I come out grinnin'

Well, I fight authority, Authority always winsWell, I fight authority, Authority always wins

Well, I fight authority, Authority always wins I've been doing it since I was a young kid

And I come out grinnin'

Well, I fight authority, Authority always wins

So I said.

I fight authority, authority always wins (Oh no) Well I fight authority, authority always wins (Oh no no)

Well I've doing it since I was a young kid (Oh no)

And I come out grinnin' (Oh no)

Well I fight authority and authority always wins

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