

# We Gotta Get Out of This Place

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In this dirty old part of the city  
Where the sun refused to shine  
People tell me there ain't no use in tryin'  
Now my girl you're so young and pretty  
And one thing I know is true  
You'll be dead before your time is due, I know  
Watch my daddy in bed a-dyin'  
Watched his hair been turnin' grey  
He's been workin' and slavin' his life away  
Oh yes I know it  
He's been workin' so hard, yeah  
I've been workin' too, baby, yeah  
Every night and day, yeah  
We gotta get out of this place  
If it's the last thing we ever do  
We gotta get out of this place  
Cause girl, there's a better life for me and you  
Now my girl you're so young and pretty  
And one thing I know is true, yeah  
You'll be dead before your time is due, I know it  
Watch my daddy in bed a-dyin'  
Watched his hair been turnin' grey, yeah  
He's been workin' and slavin' his life away  
I know he's been workin' so hard  
I've been workin' too, baby, yeah  
Every day baby, yeah  
Wow, yeah...  
We gotta get out of this place  
If it's the last thing we ever do  
We gotta get out of this place  
Girl, there's a better life for me and you  
Somewhere baby, somehow I know it  
We gotta get out of this place  
If it's the last thing we ever do  
We gotta get out of this place  
Girl, there's a better life for me and you  
Believe me baby, I know it baby  
You know it too

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