Verse 1

Tainted wings of a bird in flight

Spiral down, too far in for the light

Charge a dollar, hire them for spare change

I find it all strange

Don’t you know? This is a losing game

In the end, we all fall just the same

Into shadows hiding beneath the bluff

Was our repentance enough?

Chorus

Waste not your time diverting all the blame

Eyes open to the flame

Higher they climb, for they will not you name

And we have only ourselves to blame

Yeah

Verse 2

Bright lights shining from the shore

Crown our most impressive feats of war

Buildings taller than the reach of all our sights

Yet we still remain blind

Don’t you know? This is a one-way route

Once we’re in, ain’t no way to get out

Pose the query when the waters get rough

Was our repentance enough?

Chorus

Waste not your time diverting all the blame

Eyes open to the flame

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