

It'll be better when it's better

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Oh the sky is fallin down and the crick is comin up
that old rickety bridge Lord is runnin out of luck
there ain't nothin left to do but let the river overflow
it'll be better, it'll be better, it'll be better when it's better I suppose
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The times are gettin harder and the money's gettin tight
the cost of livin's killin me, there ain't nothin goin right
now the polar cap is meltin and the desert's gonna blow
it'll be better, it'll be better, it'll be better when it's better I suppose
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When I was a little kid I did what I was told
now I go to work each morning in a corporate blindfold
I'm feelin like it's gettin late the gate is gonna close
it'll be better, it'll be better, it'll be better when it's better I suppose
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I dug myself a hole and I fell right in
a man comes along askin me where I been
he said he never really cared, he just lets the four winds blow
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I sat down and wrote a letter to the president
and I asked him where the hell he thought the Constitution went
he called me back this afternoon and said he didn't know
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Pickin at the scab is never gonna make it heal
every broken bone will teach you how it's really gonna feel
but the sun is gonna rise again the rooster's gonna crow
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• On the recordings I play these same chords with a capo on the second, or third fret.

• Here's how the chords match up with the verse. Each chord symbol = 4 beats or four strums. Chords in parentheses receive two counts or two strums each.

Oh the ^Dsky is fallin down and the ^{A7}crick is comin up

that old ^Drickety bridge Lord is ^Grunnin out of luck

there ain't ^Dnothin left to do but let the ^{A7}river overflow

it'll be ^Dbetter, it'll be ^(G - A7) better, it'll be ^(D - A7) better when it's better I ^Dsuppose

it'll be ^Dbetter, it'll be ^(G - A7) better, it'll be ^(D - A7) better when it's better I ^Dsuppose

• Here's the bridge:

I ^Gdug myself a hole and I ^Gfell right in ^D

a man comes along ^G askin me where I been ^{A7}

he said he ^Gnever really cared, ^G he just lets the ^Dfour winds blow ^D

it'll be ^Dbetter, it'll be ^(G - A7) better, it'll be ^(D - A7) better when it's better I ^Dsuppose

it'll be ^Dbetter, it'll be ^(G - A7) better, it'll be ^(D - A7) better when it's better I ^Dsuppose