

## **Memphis May Fire "Alive In The Lights"**

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From the beginning I knew I was different.  
I embraced it, but you didn't.  
Your normal life, 9-5, it's just not for me.  
I need to feel alive!

I won't fall like the rest of them, they've come and gone  
with the wind.  
I hear the doubt in the back of your mind but still I'll see  
this through to the end.  
Maybe if you paid more attention, asked more  
questions and actually listened you would see this is  
not just a dream, but a path I've chosen that means  
everything to me.

Don't you see the minds that have changed?  
Don't you see the lives that have been saved?  
Don't you care to see the difference I've made?  
Listen closely, the highways call my name.  
Don't you see this is my everything?  
It may not seem right to you and you might not approve  
but it's real.  
This is the only thing that makes me feel.

What more do I have to do to finally prove myself to  
you?  
What is it that you need to see to finally believe this is  
who I'm supposed to be?

Most days I feel like your punching bag, but I will never  
let it hold me back.  
I just wish for once you knew how it felt to be brought  
down lower than everything else.

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This is who I am!  
This is my life, I come alive in the lights!

I come alive in the lights.

What will be written on your tombstone?

You sat behind a desk.

You had no backbone.

What will be written on your tombstone?

You sold your soul, grew old alone.

Would you prefer that I become a lifeless, hollow shell  
such as yourself?

Would you prefer that I give up my dreams and lose all  
hope just like everyone else?

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