

## **Mighty Mighty Bosstones**

### **"You Can't Win"**

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This won't be so hard to follow  
You must replace your common sense  
And then you won't find it's hard to swallow  
Its been based on real events  
You can only hear what you want to hear  
They're wide awake and they're well aware  
That they made you a promise that they won't keep  
They're wide awake they can't afford to go to sleep  
With no remorse or self respect  
The course of course is the least direct  
They choose to confuse a resource they'll use  
Well if they don't win they still won't lose  
A red cent or one thin dime  
Been banking yours and been banking mine  
They say this is the way that its always been  
They may let you in but they'll never let you win  
No way, no how, no  
You can't win, no you'll never win  
No how, no way, they  
Might let you in, but they'll never let you win  
They'll never let you win

What now please a word here to the wise  
You'll need to read between the lines  
You've got to dot your t's and cross your eyes  
Cross your fingers when the print is fine  
What you've got to do is stay one step ahead  
They're wide awake while you're still in bed  
They count the money while you count the sheep  
They're wide awake they can't afford to go to sleep  
( No way! No way, no how, no  
You can't win, no you'll never win  
No how, no way, they  
Might let you in, but they'll never let you win  
They'll never let you win [x2] )

( No way, no how, no  
You can't win, no you'll never win  
No how, no way, they  
Might let you in, but they'll never let you win  
They'll never let you win [x2] )  
Might let you in, but they'll never let you win [x4]

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