

## Merle Haggard

### "Wishing All These Old Things Were New"

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Watching while some old friends do a line  
Holding back the want to end my own addicted mind  
Wishin' it was still the thing even I could do  
Wishin' all these old things were new

Watching while some young men go to jail  
And they show it all on TV  
Just to see somebody fail  
And I guess there's not a single thing a man like me  
can do  
Wishin' all these old things were new

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Good times like the roaring 20's and  
The roaring 80's too  
Thinking about the good old days  
Before it all fell through  
Wishin' all these old things were new

The kids don't want my cigarettes around  
They say it's time that dad should lay tobacco down  
But if I could start all over guess I'd still do what I do  
Wishin' all these old things were new

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