

**Mike Scott****"More To Life Than This"**

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Johnnie's got a gun  
And it's pointed at the world  
Another angry young man  
Waiting to explode  
He didn't choose this life  
But it's what he got  
On the edge of a knife  
He didn't find much love  
Now he sits in the doorway looking down hell  
Nothing to say no one to tell  
They didn't believe him he said they would pay  
So many young lives wasted away

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A better way to tell us  
Why we live and die  
It's got to be justice for everyone  
Freedom for all under the Sun  
A better way to show us  
Why we live or die

Charlie's got a farm  
That his father built  
But he ain't growing much  
But a stack of bills  
It didn't rain for years  
And all his cattle died  
But banks don't care for tears  
Or how hard you tried  
You end up dying before you have lived  
The future wasted the end up ahead  
He took down his shotgun straight to his head  
Young Charlie farmer lay dead on his bed

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Billy was a rock n' roll star  
But it was so long ago  
Everyone knew his guitar  
When they heard it on the radio  
He had a million dollar mansion  
Up in the Hollywood hills  
Used to throw the best damn parties  
With hookers, alcohol and pills  
But then his long hair got thinner  
And his Ferrari repossessed  
IRS took the mansion  
So he went back to his ex-girlfriend's bed  
MTV didn't want him  
They said that rock n' roll is dead  
No one took his phone calls  
They had all forgotten his name  
Somewhere in Texas the story ends  
Billy's broken without any friends  
From fame and fortune to where are they now  
This curtain call was his final bow

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