

## Paul Westerberg "It's a Wonderful Lie"

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Get up from a dream  
And I look for rain  
Take an amphetamine  
And a crushed rat's brain  
How am I feelin  
Better I suppose  
How am I lookin  
I don't want the truth  
What am I doin  
I ain't in my youth  
I'm past my prime  
Or was that just a pose  
It a wonderful lie  
And I still get by on those

I've been accused of never opening up  
You get too close  
Then I keep my mouth shut  
I'm gonna run to the wind  
Where the big bad city blows  
It a wonderful lie  
And I still get by on those  
It a wonderful lie  
And I still get by on those

You can dress to the eights  
You can dress to maim  
It'll make you feel great  
This fortune and fame  
Wearing too much makeup  
Not near enough clothes  
It a wonderful lie  
And I still get by on those  
It a wonderful lie  
And I still get by on those

So don't pin your hopes  
Or pin your dreams  
To misanthropes or guys like me  
The truth is overrated  
I suppose  
It a wonderful lie

And I still get by on those  
It a wonderful lie  
And I still get by...

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