

## **Emanuel And The Fear**

### **"Jimme's Song"**

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Jimme takes his time as he washes his eyes  
and then makes his bed up and then heads for the  
outside  
And it doesn't make a difference every once and a  
while  
if you've got nothing to do but sit around and think  
about  
how nothing he could do could ever feel good

But he knows you gotta get a job if you're looking to  
move on  
Like everybody else but it's the same thing  
Always the same dream keeping him from moving  
Saying

I don't want to do nothing but be in a rock band  
I don't want to get a job, I don't want to be a man  
I don't want to do nothing but be in a rock band  
I don't want to do nothing at all  
I don't want to do nothing at all

But then the bills pour in and he fakes it like to swim  
But he still don't go anywhere  
Until he gets too weak, they got him swimming in his  
sleep  
And then he needs grab something to get some air  
And so he pulls a job down at the landfill,  
and he don't mind the working outside looking out on  
the turnpike  
But the days go by and the fire in his side tells him  
He'll never be right until the day that he dies  
Saying

I don't want to do nothing but be in a rock band  
I don't want to get a job, I don't want to be a man  
I don't want to do nothing but be in a rock band  
I don't want to do nothing at all  
I don't want to do nothing at all

All his words fall down through the cracks in between  
And spread like sunlight down on the world underneath

But up here they fall to nowhere they're just a feeling  
he needs  
As he drives through the weeds  
And through the swamps and through the trees

And as he is talking like he's holding a gun in his hand  
but there ain't nobody there, it's just him waving his  
hand  
And then he drives on to his guy at the van to get his  
cup of coffee with three sugars for two dollars  
And back to work another day another hour  
He gets older by the minute  
But there's nobody around him who can understand  
Looking at a young man feeling like no one ever  
notices  
They work the same day over and over

No, I don't want to do nothing but be in a rock band  
I don't want to get a job, I don't want to be a man  
I don't want to do nothing but be in a rock band  
I don't want to do nothing at all  
I don't want to do nothing at all

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