

## **Annie Lennox**

# **"Legend in My Living Room"**

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When I was just seventeen I ran away from home  
To be with all the pretty people, to be on my own, yeah  
Bright lights and trains and bedsit stains  
And pavements paved with gold, gold  
And I believed in everything that everybody told me

Have mercy, have mercy on me

I found myself in a lonely place with a suitcase full of  
dreams  
And I soon grew up to realize what living in the  
doghouse means  
But everyday I told myself good things would happen  
soon  
'Cause I knew that I was going to be a legend in my  
living room, yea

Have mercy  
(Come on, sister, sing)  
Have mercy on me  
Have mercy  
(Come on, brother, sing)  
Have mercy on me

Have mercy  
(Come on, mother, sing)  
Have mercy on me  
Have mercy  
(Come on, father, sing)  
Have mercy on me

Welcome to this perfect world

Now, everyday on a dead end street is where I spend  
my time  
The dust has been collecting on the corners of my  
mind  
But I've shed my tears in bitter drops until the thorn  
trees bloomed  
To take the spiky fruit to crown myself the Queen of  
Doom, yeah

Have mercy  
(Come on, people, sing)  
Have mercy on me  
(Mercy got no children)

Have mercy  
(Come on, people, sing)  
Have mercy on me  
(I need to hear you say)

Have mercy  
(All the young girls say)  
Have mercy on me  
(Sing it for yourself, now)

Have mercy  
(All your love, say)  
Have mercy on me

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