

## **Tom Morello**

### **"Rise to Power"**

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I counted to one hundred, I kept losing track  
I wrote a hundred letters, no one wrote back  
I told a hundred stories, and all of them got twisted  
I sang a hundreds songs, nobody listened.

You've got to rise to power  
Rise to power  
Baby, you've got to rise to power.

You've got to rise to power  
Rise to power  
Ain't a shade of difference  
'tween the hills and the cowards  
Baby, you've got to rise to power.

Forced confessions and coming attractions  
Delusions of grandeur split into factions  
A silent, dark Camelot, a kingdom gray and black  
A dull empty heaven  
A strong leader's hand.

You've got to rise to power  
Rise to power  
Baby, you've got to rise to power.

You've got to rise to power  
Rise to power  
You're down on your knees, pulling up the flowers  
Baby, you've got to rise to power.

No holy water can wash me clean  
No angel of mercy to hear my screams  
Into your embrace, I'm ever driven  
And in your arms, unforgiven.

You've got to rise to power  
Rise to power  
Baby, you've got to rise power

You've got to rise to power  
Rise to power  
The whole world's watching, there's a gunman in the

tower

Baby, you've got to rise to power.

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