Daughters and Sons

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Well, they wouldn't hear your music And they pulled your paintings down They wouldn't read your writing And they banned you from the town But they couldn't stop you dreaming And a victory you have won For you sowed the seeds of freedom In your daughters and your sons

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Well, your weary smile it proudly hides
The chain marks on your hands
As you bravely strive to realize
The rights of everyone
And though your body's bent and low
A victory you have won
For you sowed the seeds of justice
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Well, I don't know your religion But one day I heard you pray For a world where everyone can work And children they can play And though you never got your share Of the fruits that you have won You sowed the seeds of equality In your daughters and your sons

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Well, they taunted you in Belfast
And they tortured you in Spain
And in that Warsaw ghetto
Where they tied you up in chains
In Vietnam and in Chile
Where they came with tanks and guns
It's there you sowed the seeds of peace
In your daughters and your sons

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And now the music's playing

And the writing's on the wall
And all the dreams you painted
Can be seen by one and all
And now you've got them thinking
And the future's just begun
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