

# Before My Time Is Up

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Before the gods read my lifelong sentence  
Before I get my share, before I walk alone  
Before they take away my last temptation  
Before my heart's deprived, before they call my name

On the back fences of my dream line  
I never lost my mind, I gave it all I had  
To get away with the whole damn big bang  
For the right reasons, for what you can't take back

Until the drums stop beating  
Until the crossroads burn out  
I ain't a man until I've done it all

Before my time is up, I'll hang my name  
On every trial I'm due for  
And even if I can't get justice  
I'll take you down to hell

Before my time is up, I'll leave no stone unturned  
I won't regret my actions  
And even if my last words fail me  
I'll be a better man before my time is up

I believe that the road goes somewhere  
Beyond the empty eyes, beyond the wasted land  
When it all fades away to nothing  
I wanna know I tried to take a real hard stand

I gotta laugh at the whole damn big bang  
I've got to cry sometimes, got to love somebody  
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