I don't do it for the money
I don't do it for the fame
I don't do it so I can see the bright lights
Spell out my name

But I'd be lyin' if I said I didn't wanna hear my songs On a jukebox in a jukebox kinda bar Guess I'm just another soldier Fightin' a war of art

And I love the pretty girls and how they sway In rhythm when I play And I'll take a free cold beer everytime They set one on a stage

And if that was the only reason why I do it Then why I do it wouldn't get me very far I guess you can't pick your battles When you fight the war of art

It's hard to shine in a sky full of stars
Still be who you are
When you fight the war of art

If a bullet was a song, and this guitar was a gun I'd knock 'em dead
Most nights it feels like I'm the one
Up here bleedin' red

And I ain't tryin' to hurt nobody, I'm just hopin' that my brok en

Puts some hope in another broken heart Yeah, I'm just another soldier Fightin' a war of art

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