

**THE RULING CLASS**  
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Don't try to tell me where you think I'm going  
Don't try to tell me where you think I should be  
Don't try to tie me to your pain and your hardship  
Don't try to make me think I can't be free

I've often wondered what you think you're doing  
When you try to tell us how to live our lives  
I've seen you before and I don't like what you're thinking  
When you try to tell me I can't be alive

**CHORUS:**

The ruling class is nearly at it's end  
The ruling class has had it's day  
The ruling class can never make amends  
We're gonna take the ruling class and put them away

You have to find out you can't use us as playthings  
You'll have to learn that we're as valuable as you  
You'll never make a stand when we're marching to meet you  
We've got to put a stop to the things that you do

**CHORUS**

The day is soon coming, when you'll lose your power  
The day is soon coming when it's no longer your world  
You must realize you're in your eleventh hour  
The flag of our freedom must be unfurled