

**5 Years**  
**Allister**

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Life Behind Machines  
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Key: B

Tuning: Standard EADGBE

Chords used:

**B** - x24442  
**F#** - 244322  
**G#m** - 466444  
**E** - 022100  
**B/Eb** - x698xx  
**C#m** - x46654  
**F#/Bb** - x143xx

Intro: **B E F#** x2

Verse 1:

**B**

So they say there s

**F#**

a better way to make it

**B**

A 9 to 5 is the only

**E**

way you ll make it

**B**

But I don t know if I

**F#**

can take another day of this

**B**

Working overtime to

**F#**

save up for tomorrow

**B**

While all their promises

**E**

keep ringing out so hollow

**B**

Now they re taking all

**F#**

the bonuses away from me  
and I ve spent-

Refrain:

**E**

-a fucking lifetime

**B/Eb F#**

picking up the pieces

**E**

trying to get ahead

**B/Eb F#/Bb**

but I m still defeated

**E**

I never even wanted

**B**

this at all anyway

Cuz it s been-

Chorus 1:

**B**

-5 years

**C#m B/Eb**

of medications

**F#**

5 years of

**B F#/Bb**

accusations

**G#m**

5 years

**E C#m**

enslaved in misery

**B**

5 years

**C#m B/Eb**

of dedication

**F#/Bb**

5 years of

aggravation

**G#m**

5 years

**E C#m B E F#**

enslaved in misery

Post Chorus: B--E-F#-

Verse 2:

**B**

It s all the same as

**F#**

we get a little older

**B**

Nowhere to go and too

**E**

late to start all over

**B**

You re just a number  
when you re working

**F#**

for the company

**B**

So play along while  
they rave about the stock

**F# B**

price And pretty soon  
you ll be buying into their

**E B**

lies Conformity is now

**F#**

rewarded with the guarantee  
That I ll spend-

(Repeat Refrain)

(Repeat Chorus 1)

Bridge:

**E**

Nowhere to run to and  
now there s nothing

**B/Eb**

that will make

**C#m**

everything be alright

**E**

Once you know that  
you re never as  
important as the

**F#**

bottom line

Bass Solo: **E F# G#m B F#/Bb** x4, **F#**(hold)  
whoa whoa whoa

Chorus 2:

**B**

5 years  
of medications

**F#**

5 years of  
accusations

**G#m**

5 years

**E F#**

enslaved in misery

**B**

5 years  
of dedication

**F#**

5 years of  
aggravation

**G#m**

5 years

**E F# B E F#**

enslaved in misery

Outro:

**B C#m B/Eb**

5 years 5 years

**F#/Bb B F#/Bb**

5 years 5 years

**G#m**

5 years

**E C#m B(hold)**

enslaved in misery