

**Marx And Engels**  
**Belle and Sebastian**

Belle and Sebastian - Marx and Engels  
From I m Waking Up To Us, 2001.

Capo 3

Intro: **E B A E D A F#m B**

**E B A E**  
There is misery in all I hear and see, from the people on T.V.

**D A F#m B**  
After their tea when life begins again, they ll be happier than me

**E B**  
There are a thousand meals being made on Saturday

**A E D A**  
From the view I saw today, I took a bet inside the launderette,

**F#m B**  
With a girl from Wallesey

**E B A**  
She spoke in dialect, I could not understand, but one thing that

**E D A E**  
She made clear, there was no coming on to her, there was no way.

Interlude from **E: B A E D A F#m B** x2

(Repeat Verse)

Conclusion:

**D A A**  
There was no coming on to her, there was no intellect, that she

**F#m E D F#m**  
Could respect, if it couldn t see, that the girl just wants to be

**A E**  
Left alone with Marx and Engels for awhile,

**D F#m B**

She s writing in style, of any riot girl.

What a ballad; Aquinas says pulcra sunt quae visa placent  
...perhaps if Belle and Sebastian were around in his day,  
he would have changed eyes to ears.

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