

**These Days**  
**Bon Jovi**

[Intro]

C - D | Em (6x)

[Verse 1]

I was walking around, just a face in the crowd try to keep myself out of the rain  
Saw a vagabond king wear a styrofoam crown wondered if I might end up the same  
There s a man out on the corner, singing old songs about change everybody got their cross to bare, these days.

[Verse 2]

She came looking for some shelter with a suitcase full of dreams  
To a motel room on the boulevard I guess she s trying to be James Dean  
She s seen all the disciples and all the wanna be s no one wants to be themselves these days  
Still there s nothing to hold on to but these days

[Chorus]

These days the stars ain t out of reach - These days there ain t a ladder from the streets oh no no  
These days are fast, nothing lasts in this graceless age - There ain t nobody left but us these days

[Verse 3] (like Verse 2)

Jimmy shoes busted both his legs, trying to learn to fly

From a second story window, he just jumped and closed his eyes  
His momma said he was crazy - he said momma I ve got to try Don t you know  
that all my heroes died  
And I guess I rather die f f f fade away - yeah

[Chorus]

C D Em C D  
G  
These days the stars ain t out of reach But these days there ain t a ladder from  
the streets oh no no

C D G C D  
Em  
These days are fast, nothing lasts it s a graceless age - Even innocence has  
caught the midnight train

C D G  
There ain t nobody left but us these days

[Bridge]

C Am C Am  
C Am C Am  
I know Rome s still burning though the times have changed  
C Am D (C)  
This world keeps turning round and round and round and round these days

[Solo]

C G D (4x)

[Chorus]

These days the stars ain t out of reach But these days there ain t a ladder from  
the streets oh no no  
These days are fast, nothing lasts it s a graceless age - Even innocence has  
caught the midnight train

[Chorus]

These days the stars ain t out of reach But these days there ain t a ladder from  
the streets oh no no  
These days are fast, nothing last there ain t no time to waste - There ain t  
nobody left to take the blame

C D G  
There ain t nobody left but us these days  
C - D | Em C D G  
There ain t nobody left but us these days

[End]

C - D | Em | C - D | G | C - D | Em | C - D | Em