

The War Is Over  
Cage the Elephant

[Intro] **F#m**

[Verso 1]

**F#m**

When I was a young man, I never needed anyone

**F#m**

**D**

Bruised and broken, shattered, always on the run

**C#**

Safe behind a half-smile, laying in the shadows

**F#m**

I became a rich man, I held the world up with my hands

**F#m**

**D**

Inside I was a poor man, still screaming, I don't understand

**C#**

Why am I always running? Why am I always hiding?

**D**

**C#**

What's the point in living when living feels like dying?

[Refrão]

**F#m**

You can build your walls, love will tear it down

**F#m**

You can hide your heart inside a man-made house

**D**

**C#**

You can build your walls, build 'em to the sky

**D**

**C#**

One day you will find love was on both sides

(Parada)

The war is over

[Verso 2]

**F#m**

I came upon a wise man, he said, Sit beside me son

**F#m**

**D**

When I was a young man, I was like you, the Prodigal Son

**C#**

Safe behind a half-smile, hidin' in the shadows

**D**

**C#**

Tell 'em that it's all right, tell 'em cause you said so

[Refrão]

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**F#m**

You can hide your heart inside a man-made house

**D**

**C#**

You can build your walls, build em to the sky

**D**

**C#**

One day you will find love was on both sides

**F#m**

**D**

The war is over, love s already won

**C#**

The war is over, the war is over

**F#m**

**D**

The war is over, love s already won

**C#**

The war is over, the war is over

[Ponte]

**D**

**Bm**

Time stands still so long

**C#**

**F#m**

I feel so low

**D**

**Bm**

**C#**

I know what follows, what follows

[Refrão]

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**F#m**

You can hide your heart inside a man-made house

**D**

**C#**

You can build your walls, build em to the sky

**D**

**C#**

One day you will find love was on both sides

**F#m**

**D**

The war is over, love s already won

**C#**

The war is over, the war is over

**F#m**

**D**

The war is over, love s already won

**C#5**

The war is over, the war is over