

Needle And Thread

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**E** **E A E**  
I packed up and spent a week traveling east on the Interstate

**A** **E A E**  
On a pittance for a fast food diet and some toothpaste

**C#m** **B**  
I can remedy along gettin drunk, gettin stoned

**A** **F#**  
Then I m back to my good old ways

**A** **B** **E A E**  
Open arms at the bar for the prodigal son who often goes astray

**A** **E** **B**  
For now the waking world can wait

**A** **E** **B**  
To sing your blues away

**A** **E** **B**  
And hope for better days

**F#**  
Pick an old song

Then we ll dance in the dark

**F**  
It s that needle and thread

**B**  
Stitch up my broken heart!

**E A E**

**E** **E A E**  
I cave in, I black out, I bottle up until I pick a fight

**A** **E A E**  
Then I raise a bloody fist in a salute to every passerby

**C#m** **B**  
For the law man s sake I might bend but I won t break

**A** **F#**  
That part I leave for lovers in life

**A** **B** **E A E**  
This is my right to keep quiet, I ll reserve it for some other time

**A** **E** **B**  
For now the waking world can wait

**A** **E** **B**  
To sing your blues away

**A** **E** **B**  
And hope for better days

**F#**  
And pick an old song

Then we ll dance in the dark

**F**

It s that needle and thread

**B** **E**

Stitch up my broken heart!

**B**

Cuff me up and take me in

**C** **E**

So I can sleep an hour or two

**F#**

Just me and the gross criminals

**F**

Singing loud with nothing to lose

**B**

Oh Lord, the music save their soul

When nothing s right

We ll rock and roll

**A** **E** **B**

For now the waking world can wait

**A** **E** **B**

To sing your blues away

**A** **E** **B**

Hope for better days

**F#**

Pick an old song

Then we ll dance in the dark

**F**

It s that needle and thread...

**A** **E** **B**

For now the waking world can wait

**A** **E** **B**

To sing your blues away

**A** **E** **B**

Hope for better days

**F#**

Pick an old song

Then we ll dance in the dark

**F**

It s that needle and thread

**B** **E** **A** **E**

Stitch up my broken heart!

**E** **A** **E**

**E** **A** **E**