

**On The Rise**

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Dr. Horrible Soundtrack

Capo 3

**Bm** intro

**Bm**

Any dolt with half a brain  
Can see that human kind has gone insane  
To the point where i don t know  
If I ll upset the status quo  
If I throw poison in the water main.

**G**

**Bm**

Listen close to everybody s heart

**G**

**Bm**

And hear that breaking sound

**G**

**Bm**

Hopes and dreams are shattering apart

**F#m**

**A**

And crashing to the ground.

**Bm**

**G**

I cannot believe my eyes

**Bm**

**A**

**G**

How the world s filled with filth and lies

**Bm**

**A**

But it s plain to see

**E/G#**

**G**

**Bm**

Evil inside of me is on the rise.

(Penny)

**D**

Look around  
We re living with the lost and found.  
Just when you feel you ve almost drowned

You find yourself on solid ground

**Em**

**Bm**

And you believe there s good in everybody s heart

**Em**

**Bm**

Keep it safe and sound.

**Em**

**Bm**

With hope you can do your part

**A**

To turn a life around

**D**

**G**

I cannot believe my eyes

**D**

**A**

**G**

Is the world finally growing wise?

**Bm**

**A**

Cause it seems to me

**E/G#**

**G**

**Bm**

Some kind of harmony is on the rise.

(Both: Dr Horrible first line, Penny second)

**D**

Anyone with half a brain

Take it slow

**D**

Could spend their whole life howling in pain  
He looks at me and seems to know

**D**

Cause the dark is everywhere And Penny doesn t seem to care  
The things that I m afraid to show And suddenly

**D**

That soon the dark in me is all that will remain  
I feel this glow

**Em**

**Bm**

Listen close to everybody s heart  
And I believe there s good in everybody s heart

**Em**

**Bm**

And hear that breaking sound  
Keep it safe and sound

**Em**

**Bm**

Hopes and dreams are shattering apart  
With hope you can do your part

**F#** **A**  
And crashing to the ground.  
To turn a life around.

**D** **G**  
I cannot believe my eyes  
I cannot believe my eyes

**D** **A** **G**  
How the world s filled with filth and lies  
How the world s finally growing wise

**Bm** **A**  
But it s plain to see  
And it s plain to see

**E/G#** **G**  
Evil inside of me  
Rapture inside of me

**Bm**  
is on the rise...  
is on the rise...

**Bm** outro