

**Diamond In The Rough**  
**Social Distortion**

Capo 1

God bless Mike Ness.

Intro:

**D A E A** x2

**A E D A** x2

**A** **E**  
Well, I ve been up, yeah

**D** **A**  
And I ve been down

**A** **E**  
Been kicked around, yeah

**D** **A**  
This god-forsaken town

**A** **E D** **A**  
So many faults, so little time

**A** **E** **D**  
I ve gotta find my piece of mind

**A** **E D A**  
Peace of mind

**A E D A**  
I was looking for something  
Anything at all  
Something to believe in  
Spray-painted on the walls  
I ve made mistakes, yeah  
I ve paid for them too  
What s a poor boy supposed to do

(Chorus)

**A E D A**  
Then she said yea, yea  
Youre like a diamond in the rough  
Youre dirty and youre damaged  
All you needs a little love  
But inside theres a sparkle  
Thatll light the stars above  
And you ll be there in the morning  
When the going gets tough

**A E D A**

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There was a time when, I could not say

I got a reason to live another day  
A discarded treasure, they all passed on by  
And I can understand the reasons why

Chorus (x4)