

Sentinel
VNV Nation

Verse 1:
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C#m **E**
Can we say that we are free,
B **C#m**
our hands are bound and voices silent.
E
Iâ€™m sure it s not a dream,
B **C#m**
I am awake, my eyes are open.
A **B**
I canâ€™t accept and wonâ€™t concede
G#m **C#m**
in aftermath we find redemption.
A **B**
The causes that are seized,
G#m **C#m**
and disguised as revolution.

Verse 2:
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Quell the rage that deeply seethes
the extremes of these devotions.
Dismantle a machine,
the device of their creation.
I canâ€™t accept and wonâ€™t concede
that this is who we are.
The conflict that is seized
and disguised as greater notions.

Chorus:
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E **B**
To the songs that sing of glory and the brave
C#m **G#m**
Are we dreaming there are better days to come?
E **B**
When will the banners and the victory parades
C#m **G#m**
celebrate the day a better world is won?
E **B** **G#m** **C#m**
On the day the storm has just begun
A **B** **E**
I will still hope there are better days to come.

Verse 3:

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In the face of what I say
my words would turn to anger.
Malevolence in need
cannot provide direction.
I won't accept this thought
that this is who we are.
Positions never change,
losing all forward motion.

Verse 4:

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Hamper that which deeply seethes,
temper your devotion.
Dismantle the machine,
the device of you conviction.
Can't accept and won't concede
that this is who we are.
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and disguised as greater notions.

Chorus:

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