Rise

Flobots

So much pain

We don? t know how to be but angry

Feel infected like we? ve got gangrene

Please don? t let anybody try to change meMe, just me, in the middle of a sea full of faces Full of faces, some laugh, some salivate

What? s in your alleyway

Recycling bins or bullet cases?It? s not equal, it? s not fair

We? re different people but we're not scared

We ain? t never scared to pave a new path

Make a new street, build a new

Say, can you see by the dawns early light?

Free slaves running, songs words weren? t right

Now, a new days coming

The few stay stunning while the many are handsome

Your soul is alive but they want it for ransomThe bass drumming is the anthem

We step to the heartbeats

Of our granddaughters and grandsons

AndRise, together we rise

Together we rise, together we rise

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Lost hope and found need

Grounded by our surroundings

Did the walls scream, universities

Or you and I the tees? React, automatic and we burst when squeezed

And make 9-11 each emergency

Urgency, amber to red like the turning leaves

Oh please, let the hurting ceaseDon? t let apathy police the populace

We will march across

Those stereotypes that were marked for us

The answer's obvious, we switch the consonants

And change the sword to words and lift continentsRise, together we rise

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Together we rise, together we rise

Together we rise, together we riseIf you believe in redemption

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