## These Are My People

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Well we grew up down by the railroad tracks shootin' b.b.'s at old beer cans chokin' on the smoke from a lucky strike somebody lifted off of his old man we were football flunkies

Southern rock junkies

crackin' up the stereos

singin' loud and proud to "Gimme Three Steps"

"Simple Man" and "Curtis Low", we were good yuh knowwe got some discount knowledge at the junior college

where we majored in beer and girls
it was all real funny 'til we ran out of money
and they threw us out into the world
yeah the kids that thought they'd run this town
ain't runnin' much of anything
just lovin' and laughin'
and bustin' our asses

and bustin' our asses and we call it all livin' the dream chorusthese are my people

this is where i come from

we're givin' this life everything we've got and then some it ain't always pretty

but it's real

It's the way we were made wouldn't have it any other way

these are my peoplewell we take it all week on the chin with a grin

till we make it to a friday night

and it's church league softball holler 'bout a bad call

preacher breakin' up the fight

then later on at the green light tavern

well everybody's gatherin' as friends

and the beer is pourin' till monday mornin'

where we start all over again

choruswe fall down and we get up

we walk proud and we talk tough

we got heart and we got nerve

even if we are a bit disturbed chorus

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