Well I've paid my dues, And I've suffered through, But I've see n both coasts, So much more than most, And I'll have done to kn ow in spite of you, And all I've done in spite of you. I've ben t some rules, And I've broke a few, But I know I'm living my li fe, It's true, But second best is sickening but soon.... And wh en I made the fist, It stole my youth, And when I made the fist , It stole my youth, But I walked the streets of Richmond my wh ole life through, And I'll I've done to know in spite of you, A nd when I made the fist, It stole my youth, And when I made the fist, It stole my youth. And I've been stuck in a corner, Not knowing what I've done, I was lost in the darkness, But blinded by the sun, My broken back is stiff and swollen and bruised, M y broken back is stiff and swollen and bruised, I've seen roads less traveled, And followed every one, I've seen all four corn ers, Not liking anyone, All I've done in spite of you. And when I made the fist, It stole my youth, And when I made the fist, It stole my youth, But I walked the streets of Richmond my whol e life through, And I'll I've done to know in spite of you, And when I made the fist, It stole my youth, And when I made the f ist, It stole my youth. And when I made the fist, It stole my y outh, And when I made the fist, It stole my youth, But I walked the streets of Richmond my whole life through, And I'll I've d one to know in spite of you, And when I made the fist, It stole my youth, And when I made the fist, It stole my youth, And whe n I made the fist, It stole my youth.