

# Things Of This World

DC Talk

70 years is all we got  
To accumulate goods that seem to mean a lot  
For the first 20 years, you're off to school  
Learnin' principles and learnin' the tools  
To make lots of money, the ultimate goal  
Gain the whole world and yet lose ya soul  
Huh, humanism is on a roll  
20 gets the the knowledge, 30 years to apply  
and just 20 years left for askin' why  
I didn't realize what it was all about  
And, was there any use in this rigorous route because

Things of this world are passin' away  
Here tomorrow, but they're sure not here to stay  
Things of this world are passin' away  
So lay your treasure above  
And start to live for Him today

All done for self in this world will pass  
And all done for Christ in this world will last  
Sounds like a simple task...  
But everyday life seems to get in the way  
No time to serve, barely time to pray  
Our focal points lost and we get tossed  
In the wind, cold facing the cost  
Of fallin' without stallin' or even callin' the Lord  
While you were blackballin'  
He was waitin' for you to see the light  
And find for yourself, these things are trite

Our mind transforms a want to a need  
A simple process that we call greed  
Ya say ya like to have money, well I do too  
The problem starts when the money has you  
Workin' overtime to keep up with the pace  
A lifestyle that you want to embrace  
But it's 2 steps from where your needs are met  
You're keepin' up with the Joneses, but your all in debt  
Which will lead to stress, not meeting the bills  
While ya sportin' a Benz with all the thrills  
The domino effect's gotcha life in check  
A temporary stitch and ya livin' a wreck

Don't lay up your treasures upon this Earth  
They'll soon pass away  
And all return to dirt  
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Things of this world, things of this world  
The things, the things, the things of this world

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