

# I Knew Better, But Did Nothing

Hotel Books

I'm not proud of the things I've done  
But I'm proud of the person that I can become  
'Cause somewhere between day one and now  
I tried to chase a popular sound  
I tried to chase a comfort for those around  
But when the show ends  
We're sleeping on hardwood beds  
Praying to God we find out  
If we got the support slot or not  
That can make or break our sound in the end  
Hoping we can move into another market  
Rather than the one that made us  
Rather than the one that changed us  
So, we wanna take a detour and  
Change behavior and make more  
Find out faces on The Fader and Pitchfork  
And digress even more

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Start to be this honest with my heart on my sleeve  
When do I go? What can I be?  
Nothing equals nothing, this did nothing for me

We just hoped our rebellion  
Would look like rebellion rather than what it is  
That target for millennials to put their faith in  
But I'm proud to say we made some people  
Looking into themselves rather than the evil  
And I'll always thank the ones who trusted to me  
Enough to join me on this journey  
Even the ones who didn't stick around  
I'm still grateful for the ones who helped shape the sound  
Now I just need to thank God for this forgiveness

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Now I can thank God for the idea of forgiveness  
And I can thank God that I'm still in this  
'Cause I love the idea of a future  
'Cause though it never comes, it's somehow always happening  
And every moment that I'm not asleep is a moment where I think  
Maybe I should've just finish it up and gotten that degree  
'Cause mom I made it  
I just wish I would have learned something  
'Cause now this emptiness haunts me