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i 've always been the one to blame
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at school they taught me how to be
so pure of thought
and word and deed
they didn't quite succeed
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father forgive me
i tried not to do it
turned over a new leaf
then tore right through it

whatever you taught me
i didn't believe it
father you fought me
cos i didn't care
and i still don't understand

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