

# Today

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Lost forever is yesterday  
And I don't believe in tomorrow  
I used to dream of a pot of gold  
And it only brought me sorrow

I used to think that the road stretched on  
Till it went this whole world round  
But now I've learned to live my life  
Before the sun goes down

For tomorrow when it finally comes  
When the curtain of dawn fades away  
The hopes of many are crushed to dust  
When they find ain't nothin' but today

And everyday I grow and die  
As though it might be my last  
And kiss the minute with a thankful smile  
And turn my back on the past

And wink at tomorrow it don't scare me  
I only live in today  
While you might sit with you're fingers crossed  
And watch it all fade away

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