

# Change

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Gotta change around here  
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Can't go on this way  
Things gotta change around here  
Say it loud, say it clear  
Things gonna change around here

Fingers on the trigger around here  
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Bullets flying, mothers crying  
We gotta change around here  
Get it straight, be sure, did you hear  
That it's gonna change around here

What good is freedom  
If we haven't learned to be free?  
(If we haven't learned to be free?)  
What good is freedom  
If we haven't learned to be free?  
(If we haven't learned to be free)  
Day after day, year after year  
We're gonna change around here

X is the letter  
Blue is the color  
One is the number  
Now is the time  
Can we change around here?  
Gotta change around here  
Say it loud, say it clear  
We gotta change around here

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Change around here  
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