Needle In The Dark

Passenger

With progress comes problems With wisdom comes age With lessons come learning And pleasure comes with pain

You can only have the sunshine after the rain I took a walk It got me thinking Left foot, right foot Smiling, blinking Breathe out, breathe in Somehow linking

My soul to my mind and my heart to my mouth Lost and the found and the north to the south And the corners to the circle in my mind

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My hands they are empty But they are clean I'm poor but I'm healthy I'm halfway between The gutter and the skyline

So I took a walk to the land's end Thinking 'bout an ex-girlfriend that I had And the pages that I've turned And it seems to me That we all love the chase But once we're caught we feel encased Behind bars of love and trust Uprooted by drunken lust By people, people just like us People, people just like us

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So I took a walk to the station Lost in my imagination Having private conversations with myself And I'm just stumbling 'round And I wait for the sound Of this crumbling town to come tumbling down People say I'm just bummin' around But I've had both my ears to the ground