

# One Man

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It's a peaceful thing to know that freedom as a rule belongs to  
me  
There's something very wrong when the color of a man is all you  
see  
After all this time how can a single voice explain  
Any reason for the pain we all have seen, it's not a dream

One man stood tall and faced the devil with his back to the wal  
l  
And took one step closer to heaven above

So he took a stand and walked where no one else would dare to e  
ven try  
It was the only way if not for bravery the soul would surely di  
e  
Right before my eyes, he gave his life unselfishly  
So that all the father's children could be free just like you a  
nd me

One man stood tall and faced the devil with his back to the wal  
l  
And took one step closer to heaven above

Before his work is done we've got to put an end  
To this game of choosing sides  
I want us to be one and I won't let it go  
Till it's over, I'm here waiting

One man stood tall and faced the devil with his back to the wal  
l  
And took one step closer to heaven above  
One man walked up and faced the devil and with his back to the  
wall  
One step closer to heaven above

One man stood tall and with his back to the wall  
I'm waiting, waiting