

## Lateral Climb

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The sun heats up another working day  
Coffee, tea, and I'm on my way  
Try to beat the traffic  
And maybe yesterdays time  
Try to make a little progress  
In what's lookin' like a lateral climb

Put behind me, my spendthrift ways  
And I've made more money than I did in those days  
Used to carry a debt of twenty grand  
(bankin kind?)  
And I've still got nothin'  
It's lookin like a lateral climb

Our leader's addicted  
To oil and war  
Says it's freedom that we're fightin' for  
Applause, applause  
For bald face white collar crime  
And they leave you stranded  
Believin' in a lateral climb

The sun heats up another working day  
Coffee, tea, and I'm on my way  
What once was a dollar  
Is lookin' more like a dime  
Heads up people  
It's nothin' but a lateral climb  
A lateral climb