

D A C G

[Verse]

D

A

A lonely mother gazing out of the window

C

G

Staring at her son that she just can't touch

D

A

If at any time he's in a jam she'll be by his side

C

G

But he doesn't realize he hurts her so much

D

A

But all the praying just ain't helping at all

C

A

Cuz he can't seem to keep his self out of trouble

C

So he goes out and he makes his money

G

The best way he knows how

C

G

Another body layin cold in the gutter

Listen to me

[Chorus]

D

A

Don't go chasing waterfalls

C

Please stick to the rivers

G

And the lakes that you're used to

D

I know that you're gonna have it

A

Your way or nothing at all

C

G

But I think you're moving too fast

[Verse]

D

A

Little precious has a natural obsession

C

G

For temptation but he just can't see

D

She gives him loving that his body

A

C

Can't handle but all he can say

G

Is "baby is good to me"

D

A

One day he goes and take a glimpse in the mirror

C

G

But he doesn't recognize his own face

D

A

His health is fading and he doesn't know why

C

G

3 letters took him to his final resting place

Y'all don't you hear me

[Chorus]

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I see a rainbow yesterday  
But too many storms have come and gone  
leavin' a trace of not good-given ray  
Is it because my life is ten shades of gray  
I pray all ten fade away  
Seldom praise Him for the sunny days  
And like His promise is true only my faith can undo  
The many chances I blew to bring my life to anew  
Clear blue and unconditional skies  
Have dried the tears from my eyes  
No more lonely cries endurin' pain that  
it keeps 'em in the pourin' rain  
Who's to blame it's a shame  
You shoot and aim for someone else's brain  
You claim the insane and name his day in time  
For fallin' prey to crime, I say the system  
Got you victim to your own mind  
Dreams are hopeless aspirations in hopes  
Of comin' true, believe in yourself  
The rest is up to me and you