

# Man In the Mirror

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[Verse 1]

I'm gonna make a change  
For once in my life  
Gonna feel real good  
Gonna make a difference  
Gonna make it right  
As I turn up the collar on my favorite winter coat  
This wind is blowin' my mind  
See the kids in the street, with not enough to eat  
Who am I to be blind, pretending not to see their needs  
A summer's disregard, a broken bottle top  
And one man's soul  
They follow each other on the wind, ya know  
'Cause they got nowhere to go  
That's why I want you to know

[Chorus]

I'm starting with the man in the mirror  
I'm asking him to change his ways  
And no message could have been any clearer  
If you wanna make the world a better place  
Take a look at yourself and then make a change

Na-na-na na-na-na nana-nana

[Verse 2]

I've been a victim of a selfish kinda love  
It's time that I realize  
There are some with no home  
Not a nickel to loan  
Could it be really me pretending that they're not alone  
A willow deeply scarred, somebody's broken heart  
And a washed-out dream  
They follow the pattern of the wind, ya see  
'Cause they got no place to be  
That's why I'm starting with me

[Extended Chorus]

I'm starting with the man in the mirror (Who?)  
I'm asking him to change his ways (Who?)

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I'm starting with the man in the mirror (Man in the mirror, oh yeah)  
I'm asking him to change his ways (Change his ways)  
(Come on, change)  
And no message could have been any clearer

[Bridge]  
If you wanna make the world a better place  
Take a look at yourself and then make the change  
You gotta get it right, while you got the time  
'Cause when you close your heart (You can't)  
Then you close your mind (Close your, your mind!)

[Chorus]  
(That man, that man) I'm starting with the man in the mirror  
(That man)  
(Ooh!)  
(That man, that man) I'm asking him to change his ways  
(That man, the man)  
(Change his ways, ooh!)  
And no message could have been any clearer  
If you want to make the world a better place  
Take a look at yourself and then make that  
(Take a look at yourself and then make that)  
Change!

[Outro]  
Woo, woo (Na-na-na na-na-na nana-nana) woo, woo, woo, woo, woo  
Gonna feel real good (Oh yeah)  
Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah (Na-na-na na-na-na nana-nana)  
Yeah, yeah, oh, oh no

I'm gonna make a change  
It's gonna feel real good, Shamone (Change)  
Just lift yourself, you know  
You've got to start with yourself, (Yeah) hoo!  
(Make that change) I gotta make that change today, woo!  
(Man in the mirror) You got to, you got to not pick yourself, brother, hoo! (Yeah)  
You know (Make that change)  
I've gotta get that man, that man (Man in the mirror)

You got to, you got to move, Shamone, Shamone  
You got to stand up (Yeah) stand up (Make that change) stand up, stand up and lift yourself  
now (Man in the mirror)

Hoo, hoo, hoo! Ow! (Yeah, make that change)  
Make that change, Shamone (Man in the mirror)  
You know it, you know it, you know it, you know (Change)

Make that change!

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