John Mellencamp, Crumblin' Down

Some people ain't no damn good
You can't trust 'em
You can't love em
No good deed goes unpunished
And I don't mind being their whipping boy
I've had that pleasure
For years and years
No, no I never was a sinner
Tell me what else can I do
Second best is what you get
'Til you learn to bend the rules
Time respects no person
And when you lift up must fall
They're waiting outside
To claim my crumblin' walls

Saw my picture in the paper Read the news around my face And now some people Don't want to treat me the same

When the walls
Come tumblin' down
When the walls
Come crumblin', crumblin'
When the walls
Come tumblin', tumblin'
Down
Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah
Yeah, yeah, yeah

Some people say I'm obnoxious and lazy That I'm uneducated And my opinipn means nothin' But I know I'm a real good dancer Don't need to look over my shoulder To see what I'm after Everybody's got their problems Ain't no new news here I'm the same old trouble You've been having for years Don't confuse the problem With the issue, girl It's perfectly clear Just a human desire To have you come near Want to put my arms around you Feel your breath in my ear You can bend me You can break me But you better stand clear

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When the walls Come (tumblin' down) When the walls Come (rumblin', rumblin') When the walls (When the walls) Come tumblin', tumblin' Down

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