

# PEOPLE ARE SO BITTER

## Words and Music by Carl Hammond

People are so bitter,  
even those that preach forgiveness,  
even folks who know I'm not who I've been.  
Though I've repaid my debt to them,  
they think I should keep payin'.  
I've become my one big mistake,  
though I'd never make it again.

I'm so tired of waking up  
and so very tired of breathing.  
I'm so bored with listening to myself.  
So tired of the hurt when you  
work so hard to ignore me,  
Deathly tired of pretending that  
it might soon become something else.

Yet once again deep inside my fav'rite dream,  
you and I are more than toys of fate.  
In a world much different than the one we have,  
we could have made the world we want,  
but now it's too late,  
But maybe I could learn to live without regrets.  
I've learned to live without your love,  
but I can't live within your hate.

Tomorrow they will find me  
with this note clutched close beside me,  
Don't let my words soften your heart of stone.  
People keep rejecting me,  
but Mother Earth always beckons me.  
I'm always welcome deep down in the ground,  
and now it's time to be headin' home.

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