



[D] [D] [D] [D !]  
 [D !] Tumble out of [D !] bed and I [D !] stumble to the [D !] kitchen  
 [G !] Pour my-[G !]-self a [G !] cup of am-[G !]-bition  
 And [D !] yawn and [D !] stretch and [D !] try to [D !] come to [A7] life.  
 [D !] Jump in the [D !] shower and the [D !] blood starts [D !] pumping  
 [G !] Out on the [G !] street the [G !] traffic starts [G !] jumping  
 With [D] folks like me on the [A] job from 9 to [D] 5 [D !]

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 Barely [D] getting by... it's all taking and no giving  
 They just [G] use your mind... and they never give you credit  
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 [G] 9 to 5,... for service and devotion  
 You would [D] think that I... would deserve a fair promotion  
 Want to [G] move ahead... but the boss won't seem to let me  
 I [E7 !] swear [E7 !] some-[E7 !]-times...[E7 !] that  
 [A] man is out to get me [A] [D] [D !]

They [D] let you dream just to watch them shatter  
 You're [G] just a step on the boss man's ladder  
 But [D] you've got dreams he'll never take a-[A7]-way  
 You're [D] in the same boat with a lot of your friends  
 [G] Waiting for the day your ship'll come in  
 The [D] tides gonna turn and it's [A] all gonna roll your [D] way [D !]

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 [G] 9 to 5... yeah they've got you where they want you  
 There's a [D] better life... and you think about it don't you  
 It's a [G] rich man's game... no matter what they call it  
 And you [E7 !] spend [E7 !] your [E7 !] life  
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