

# Annie Soundtrack, It's The Hard Knock Life

It's the hard-knock life for us  
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'Steady treated, we get tricked  
'Steady kisses, we get kicked  
It's the hard-knock life  
Got no folks to speak of, so  
It's the hard-knock row we how  
Cotton blankets 'stead of wool  
Empty bellies 'stead of full  
It's the hard-knock life  
Don't it feel like the wind is always howlin'?  
Don't it seem like there's never any light  
Once a day, don't you wanna throw the towel in?  
It's easier than puttin' up a fight  
No one's there when your dreams at night get creepy  
No one cares if you grow or if you shrink  
No one dries when your eyes get wet an' weepy  
From all the cryin' you would think this place's a sink  
Oh, empty belly life, rotten smelly life  
Full of sorrow life, no tomorrow life  
Santa Claus we never see  
Santa Claus, what's that? Who's he?  
No one cares for you a smidge  
When you're in an orphanage  
It's the hard-knock life  
You'll stay up till this dump shines  
Like the top of the Chrysler Building  
Yank the whiskers from her chin  
Jab her with a safety pin  
Make her drink a Mickey Finn  
I love you, Miss Hannigan  
Get to work  
Strip them beds  
Scrub that floor  
Polish my shoes  
And I mean start now  
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