

# Del Amitri, Being Somebody Else

How are you going to pass the time of day  
In your beautiful empty shell,  
When you've shaken the hand of so many sinceroes  
You feel like a fake yourself  
How do you choose between you and me  
When we both feed on being somebody else  
So you suck on the juice of youth and use any chemical you can get  
You get deeper in debt every step you take on your ladder of lifelessness  
Bye bye to the boring times,  
Hello to my friend, how you been being somebody else?  
Now the troops in you head won't obey what you say  
And the mutiny seems to spread  
And all you can hear is a voice in your ear and it's telling you that  
you're dead  
The sun sets in a coffee cup, the moon throws up  
The flood flows over the house,  
The books start jumping from the shelf  
And the clothes horse races itself  
Now we're all so busy being somebody else.