

# Onelinedrawing, The Big Parade

I've just come back from the war  
I'm angry and tired and bored  
Scarred by the things that I saw  
Still don't feel like I'm home

Don't wanna go back  
But I don't wanna stay  
I'm still waiting for  
the big parade

Just before dawn  
Doesn't feel like last fall  
Feels like a friend I've lost touch with  
Who I hoped wouldn't call

Blankets and clothes  
Pictures of wives  
The glow in the burning  
We saw from the sky

When I woke up  
All swaddled in white  
I wanted my mother  
Wanted her to tell me why I was alive

I'd write every night  
Just before bed  
For a while there I stopped  
Did you think I was dead?

The truth of it is  
I was just scared  
Scared to come back  
I wanted to stay

I'm still still waiting  
For the big parade

don't wanna go back  
don't wanna stay

I'm still waiting  
Still waiting for...  
The big parade