The Manhattan Transfer, Gentleman With A Fam

Scarecrow, weathered and weary Fragile and old beyond his years Here we are - chosen In your eyes, the truth lies frozen

Soldier in the city heat Refugee in every street And life goes by Standing in the pouring rain

(Chorus)
He's a gentleman with a family
A gentle man, living day to day
He's a gentleman with pride,
one may conclude

Sign reads, Gentleman with a family will work for food

Shadows haunting his tired eyes Reaching beyond the empty hand Here we are, the chosen In your eyes, the truth lies, frozen

Soldier in the city heat Refugee on any street And life goes by An apostle to these worn out souls

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