

# The Smiths, You Just Haven't Earned It Yet, Baby

On ""[[The Smiths:The World Won't Listen (1987)|The World Won't Listen (1987)]]"" by ""[[The Smiths]]""

&lt;lyrics&gt;If you're wondering why  
All of the love that you long for eludes you  
And people are rude and cruel to you  
I'll tell you why  
I'll tell you why  
I'll tell you why  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, son  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
You must suffer and cry for a longer time  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
And I'm telling you now

If you're wondering why  
When all I wanted from life was to be Famous  
I have tried for so long, it's all gone wrong  
I'll tell you why  
I'll tell you why  
I'll tell you why  
(But you wouldn't believe me)  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, my son  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
You must suffer and cry for a longer time  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
And I'm telling you now

I'll tell you why  
I'll tell you why  
Today I am remembering the time  
When they pulled me back and held me down  
And looked me in the eyes and said:  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, son  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
You must stay on your own for slightly longer  
YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby  
And I'm telling you now

YOU JUST haven't earned it yet, baby