

Waiting on the World to Change

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(In A, original in D)

Intro: Drums, then A F^{#m7} D^{add9} A E F^{#m7} D^{add9} A

A Fm7 D A
Me and all my friends, We're all misunderstood
E Fm7 D A
They say we stand for nothing and There's no way we ever could.
A Fm7 D A
Now we see everything that's going wrong With the world and those who lead it.
E Fm7 D A
We just feel like we don't have the means To rise above and beat it.

CHORUS: (intro chord progression)

So we keep waiting, Waiting on the world to change.

We keep on waiting, Waiting on the world to change.

A B^m F^{#m7} B^m
It's hard to beat the system When we're standing at a distance
E F^{#m7} D^{add9} A

So we keep waiting, Waiting on the world to change

Now if we had the power To bring our neighbors home from war
They would have never missed a Christmas, No more ribbons on their door.
And when you trust your television, What you get is what you got.
Cause when they own the information, oh They can bend it all they want.

Chorus:

That's why we're waiting.....

It's not that we don't care, We just know that the fight ain't fair.

So we keep on waiting, Waiting on the world to change

Break: D^m, D^{9sus4}, D^{m7}, etc..... resolve to E⁷

Guitar solo over chorus chords 2x, then Chorus

One day our generation Is gonna rule the population
So we keep on waiting Waiting on the world to change
No, we keep on waiting, Waiting on the world to change
We keep on waiting, Waiting on the world to change, Waiting on the world to change
Waiting on the world to change 3x, end on A