

[Verse 1]

E

Tumble outta bed and I stumble to the kitchen

A

Pour myself a cup of ambition

E

B

And yawn and stretch and and try to come to life

E

Jump in the shower and the blood starts pumpin'

A

Out on the streets the traffic starts jumpin'

E

B

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With folks like me on the job from 9 to 5

[Chorus]

A

Workin' 9 to 5 - what a way to make a livin'

E

Barely gettin' by - it's all takin' and no givin'

A

They just use your mind - and they never give you credit

F#

B

It's enough to drive you crazy if you let it

A

9 to 5 - for service and devotion

E

You would think that I would deserve a fair promotion

A

Want to move ahead but the boss won't seem to let me

F#

B

E

I swear sometimes that man is out to get me mmmmmmm

E

They let you dream just to watch 'em shatter

A

You're just a step on the boss man's ladder

E

B

But you got dreams he'll never take away

E

In the same boat with a lot of your friends

A

Waitin' for the day your ship'll come in

E

B

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And the tide's gonna turn an' it's all gonna roll your way

[Chorus]

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9 to 5, yeah - they got you where they want you

E

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A

It's a rich man's game - no matter what they call it

F#

B

And you spend your life putting money in his wallet

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