

# Metallica, The Unforgiven (First Verson)

New blood joins this earth  
And quickly he's subdued  
Through constant pained disgrace  
The young boy learns their rules

With time, the child draws in  
This whipping boy done wrong  
Deprived of all his thoughts  
The young man struggles on and on, he's known  
A vow unto his own  
That never from this day  
His will they'll take away

What I've felt  
What I've known  
Never shined through in what I've shown  
Never be  
Never see  
Won't see what might have been

What I've felt  
What I've known  
Never shined through in what I've shown  
Never free  
Never me  
So I dub thee "Unforgiven";

They dedicate their lives  
To running all of his  
He tries to please them all  
This bitter man he is

Throughout his life the same  
He's battled constantly  
This fight he cannot win  
A tired man they see no longer cares  
The old man then prepares  
To die regretfully  
That old man here is me

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You labeled me  
I'll label you  
So I dub thee "Unforgiven";