

These days (J.B.Jovi, R.Sambora)  
from the Bon Jovi album of the same name.

Intro C - D ( em (fx)

Verse 1  
C D em  
I was walking around, just a face in the crowd try to keep myself out of the rain  
C D em  
Saw a vagabond king wear a styrofoam crown wondered if I might end up the same  
C D em C  
There's a man out on the corner, singing old songs about change **everybody got**  
D G  
**their cross to bare, these days.**

Verse 2  
C D em  
She came looking for some shelter with a suitcase full of dreams  
C D em  
To a motel room on the boulevard I guess she's trying to be James Dean  
C D em C D  
She's seen all the disciples and all the 'wanna be's **no one wants to be**  
Em  
**themself, these days**  
C D G  
**Still there's nothing to hold on to but these days**

Chorus  
C D C D  
These days **the stars ain't out of reach** - These days **there ain't a ladder from**  
G  
**the streets** oh no no  
C D G C  
These days are fast, nothing lasts in this graceless age - **There ain't nobody**  
D G  
**left but us these days**

Verse 3  
C D Em  
Jimmy shoes busted both his legs, trying to learn to fly  
C D Em  
From a second story window, he just jumped and closed his eyes  
C D Em C  
His momma said he was crazy - he said momma "I've got to try" **Don't you know that**  
D Em  
**all my heroes died**  
C D G  
And I guess I rather die than just fade away...

Chorus  
C D em C D  
These days **the stars ain't out of reach** But these days **there ain't a ladder from**  
G  
**the streets** oh no no  
C D G C  
These days are fast, nothing lasts it's a graceless age - **Even innocence has**  
D Em  
**caught the midnight train**

C D G  
**There ain't nobody left but us these days**

Bridge  
C am C am  
C am C am  
I know Rome's still burning though the times have changed  
C am D C  
This world keeps turning round and round and round and round these days

D em C D  
**the stars ain't out of reach** But these days **there ain't a ladder from**  
G  
**the streets** oh no no  
C D G C  
These days are fast, nothing lasts it's a graceless age - **Even innocence has**  
D Em  
**caught the midnight train**

C D Em C D  
These days **the stars ain't out of reach** But these days **there ain't a ladder from**  
G  
**the streets** oh no no  
C D Em C  
These days are fast, nothing last there ain't no time to waste - **There ain't**  
D Em  
**nobody left to take the blame**

C D G  
There ain't nobody left but us these days  
C - D em C - D G  
There ain't nobody left but us these days

C Em C D Em