Verse 1:
Em                                      G
Ticking away, the moments that make up a dull day
D                                      Em
You fritter and waste the hours in an offhand way
Em                                      G
Kicking around on a piece of ground in your home town
D                                      Em
Waiting for someone or something to show you the way

Chorus:
C                                      G
Tired of lying in the sunshine, staying home to watch the rain,
C                                      G
You are young and life is long, and there is time to kill today,
Bm
And then one day you find, ten years have got behind you
Am                                      D
No one told you where to run, you missed the starting gun.

Solo Verse:

Verse 2:
And you run, and you run to catch up to the sun,
but it's sinking,
And racing around, to come up behind you again
The sun is the same in a relative way, but your older,
Shorter of breath, and one day closer to death.
Chorus:
Every year is getting shorter, never seem to find the time
Plans that either come to naught,
or half a page of scribbled lines
Hanging on in quite desperation is the english way,
The time is gone, the song is over
thought I'd something more to say.