

# One More Smoke: Wisdom from a Young Man

(a song, circa 2000ish; written to my future self) Kelly Mullins

So let us smoke one last cigarette  
And do our best to shine.  
'Cause in the end we're just a friend  
On someone else's borrowed time.

Don't waste away your life  
Trying to figure out what you think is right  
'Cause when we're done it should have been fun  
And from life we should not ever run

So believe in me and I'll believe in you  
It doesn't matter what it is we do  
I won't forget the past  
Though it went by way too fucking fast  
And life is catching up at last

So let us smoke one last cigarette  
And do the things we need  
'Cause time is running out my friend  
And life will make us bleed

Don't bother with regret  
And take care you don't give up the fight  
'Cause when we're done it should have been fun  
And from life we should not ever run