Generation Me (Radio Edit)

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Verse 1

It's the party of me, the party of I
There's no real surprise
Caught up in those lies you're desperate to sell
All about yourself—like it's show and tell
Fight the cause, just because
Energy to do nothing, 'cause you're lost
Sit and complain, play the blame game
It's funny how you're all the same

Chorus

Generation Me, Generation I
Why do I try?
Generation Me, Generation I
Just sit there and cry
Generation Me, Generation I
Why do I try?
Generation Me, Generation I

Verse 2

As your name becomes a number
You keep getting dumber during the summer
It's hot—call it climate change
Living through it is such a shame
Although the sea level is rising
It's the end of the ice age, like it's surprising
You're feeling young, you're feeling bold
As you get old, you're going to feel the cold

Chorus

Generation Me, Generation I
Why even try?
Generation Me, Generation I
Just sit there and cry
Generation Me, Generation I
Why do I try?
Generation Me, Generation I

Lead

Bridge Verse

And as I pull up on the scene You can call me mean or a human being That's seeing the tide rise with lies And all the abandoned cries A lost generation

Verse 3

Don't like me? Don't think I'll cry
As you try to take a slice of my pie
Or whatever the government brings
Always contest doing anything
No sense of direction while school is in session
Leaving the impression that you'll be expressing
This education that's feeding your brain
Doing what it can to keep you in chains

Chorus

Cry

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Why do I try?
Generation Me, Generation I
Sit there and cry
Generation Me, Generation I
Why do I try?
Generation Me, Generation I
Why do I cry?
Generation Me, Generation I
Why do I try?
Generation Me, Generation I
Sit there and cry
Generation Me, Generation