



# THE SEARCH FOR ACCEPTANCE

The song Perfect by the Canadian band Simple Plan explores the complex relationship between a son and his father. Through an engaging melody and emotional lyrics, it expresses feelings of inadequacy and the struggle for approval that many young people experience.

***Released in 2002, the song quickly became a hit, as many teenagers related to the pressures of meeting family and social expectations.***

Beyond capturing the pain of feeling misunderstood and rejected, Perfect also reflects the courage to acknowledge and express these emotions. It invites us to reflect on an important message:

***You don't have to change who you are just to please others. True acceptance comes from embracing your imperfections, understanding yourself, and striving to become a better and happier person every day.***

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# PERFECT - SIMPLE PLAN

Hey, dad, look at me  
Think back and \_\_\_\_\_ to me  
Did I grow up according to plan?  
And do you \_\_\_\_\_ I'm wasting my time  
Doing things I wanna do?  
But it \_\_\_\_\_ when you disapprove all along

And now I try hard to \_\_\_\_\_  
I just \_\_\_\_\_ make you proud  
I'm never gonna be good enough for you  
I can't \_\_\_\_\_ that I'm alright  
And you can't change me

'Cause we lost it all  
Nothing \_\_\_\_\_ forever  
I'm sorry I can't be perfect  
Now it's just too late  
And we \_\_\_\_\_ go back  
I'm sorry I can't be perfect

I try not to think  
About the \_\_\_\_\_ I feel inside  
Did you know you \_\_\_\_\_ to be my hero?  
All the days you spent with me  
Now \_\_\_\_\_ so far away  
And it feels like you don't \_\_\_\_\_ anymore



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And now I try hard to make it  
I just wanna make you \_\_\_\_\_  
I'm never gonna be good \_\_\_\_\_ for you  
I can't \_\_\_\_\_ another fight  
And nothing's alright

'Cause we lost it all  
Nothing lasts forever  
I'm sorry I can't be perfect  
Now it's just too late  
And we can't go back  
I'm sorry I can't be perfect

Nothing's gonna change the \_\_\_\_\_ that  
you said  
Nothing's gonna make this right again  
Please don't \_\_\_\_\_ your back  
I can't believe it's \_\_\_\_\_ just to talk to you  
But you don't understand

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