

Will The Luck Be With you
(When young men are Dying)

1944

Out of the womb bloody and crying
War going on young men dying
Out of the smoke millions are dead
mother's milk safe in my bed
Where am I going and what will I find
Will the luck be with me when young men are dying
Will I play in the sun laughing and smiling
Will the luck be with me when young men are dying
Some wounds heal some wounds don't
Boy on his own not much he won't

1951

They're at it again the young men are dying
War going on mothers crying
Young men ready lining up at the stations
Hearing scores of two warring nations
Where are they going and what will they find
Will the luck be with them when young men are dying
Will they play in the rain with a young lady willing
Who will come home when they stop the killing
Some wounds heal some wounds don't
Young man on his own not much he won't

1962

They're at it again the young men are dying
War going on nations crying
Generals want more they don't seem to mind
The best go to war and the luck is blind
Where are we going and what will we find
Will the luck be with us when young men are dying
Will we play with our children laughing and smiling
Will the luck be with us when young men are dying
Where are you going and what will you find
Will the luck be with you when young men are dying
Will you play with your children laughing and smiling
Will the luck be with you when young men are dying

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