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## The Soldier

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*Meghan Pearl*

I'm fighting for something  
I'm noble and strong  
They smile and nod 'cause I sing the right song

I am good at this something  
Understand my cause  
The people all praise me for lacking in flaws

I'm fighting for something  
My shoes fit just right  
I'm impassioned and driven; I'm shining the light

I'm searching for "something"  
A face in the throng  
Several are smirking, they've known all along

I'm fighting for "something"  
I've hit a brick wall  
It seems what I fought for was nothing at all

I want to feel something  
When I look in the mirror  
But the image I've known has now disappeared

I fought for something  
Unreal and shallow  
This war was made for the fault of the callow