

F# H F# G#mi
 1. An old man turned ninety-eight. He won the lottery and died the next day
 It's a black fly in your chardonnay. It's a death row pardon two minutes too
 late
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 Isn't it ironic? Don't you think
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 R: It's like rain on your wedding day. It's a free ride when you've already paid
F#H F# G#mi
 It's the good advice that you just didn't take
A G#mi F#
 And who would have thought... it figures

2. Mr. Play-it-safe was afraid to fly
 He packed his suitcase and kissed his kids good-bye
 He waited his whole damn life just to take that flight
 And as the plane crashed down he thought "Well isn't this nice..."
 And isn't it ironic? Don't you think?

R:
H F#
 3. Well, life has a funny way of sneaking up on you
G#mi
 When you think everything is okay and everything's going right
H F#
 And life has a funny way of helping you out when
G#mi
 You think everything's gone wrong and everything blows up in your face

4. A traffic jam when you are already late
 A no-smoking sign on your cigarette break
 It's like ten thousand spoons when all you need is a knife
 It's like meeting the man of my dreams then meeting his beautiful wife
 And isn't it ironic? Don't you think?
 A little too ironic. And yeah I really do think

R:
H F#
 5. Life has a funny way of sneaking up on you
H F# H
 Life has a funny, funny way of helping you out, helping you out