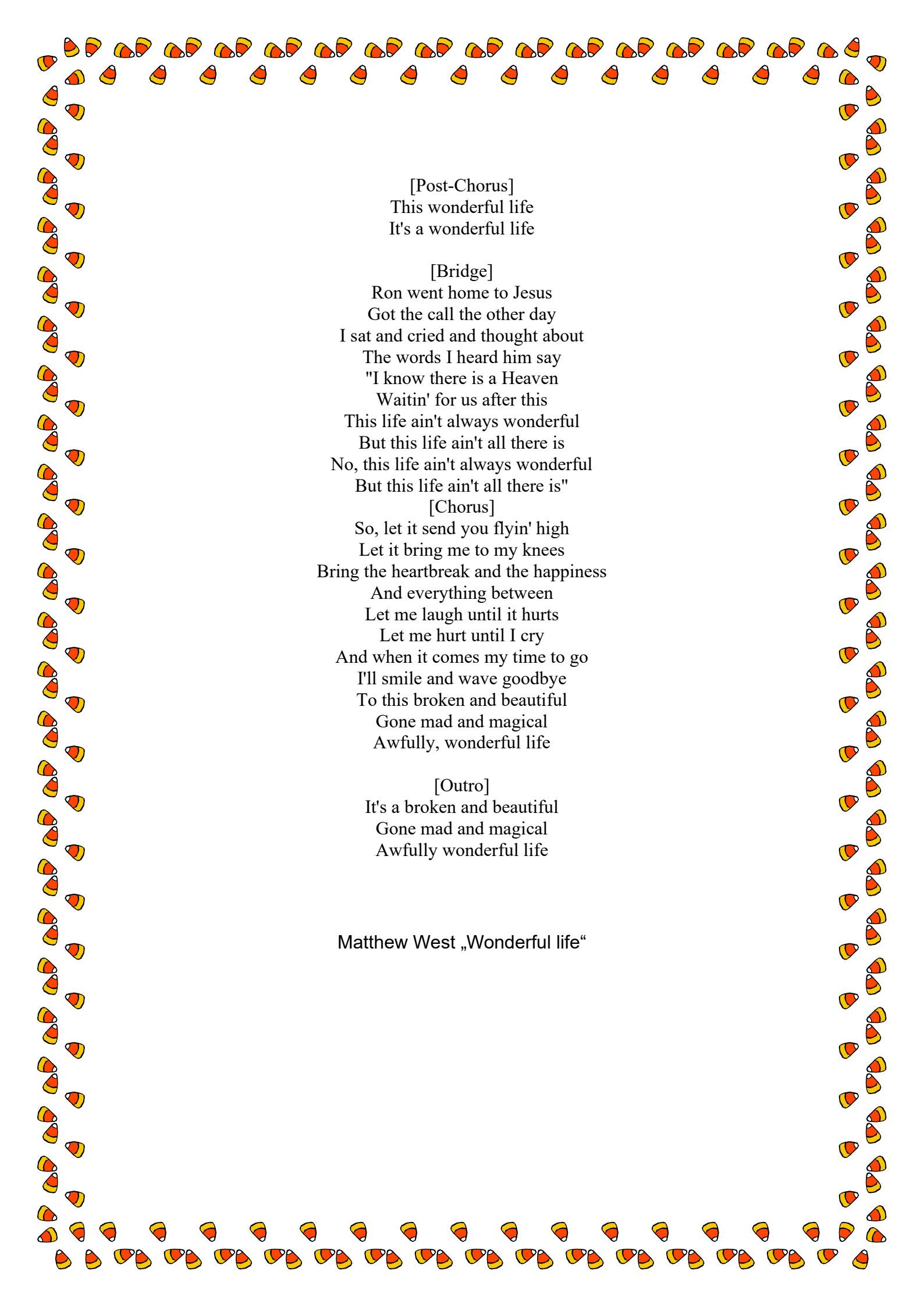


Ron from Houston, Texas  
Spent three years fightin' ALS  
If you knew all that he's been through  
You'd hardly say he's blessed  
But smilin' through a phone call  
He said "Let me tell you, friend  
This life ain't always wonderful  
But what a wonderful life it's been"

[Chorus]  
It'll send you flyin' high  
It'll bring you to your knees  
It's the heartbreak and the happiness  
And everything between  
It's the laugh until it hurts  
It's the hurt until you cry  
Can't have one without the other  
It's how you know that you're alive  
In this broken and beautiful  
Gone mad and magical  
Awfully, wonderful life

[Verse 2]  
It's a mountain and a valley  
It's a cradle and a grave  
It's a blessing and a battle  
And it's on any given day  
It's messy and imperfect  
It's a thief and it's a gift  
Yeah, this life ain't always wonderful  
But what a wonderful life it is

[Chorus]  
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It'll bring you to your knees  
It's the heartbreak and the happiness  
And everything between  
It's the laugh until it hurts  
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[Post-Chorus]  
This wonderful life  
It's a wonderful life

[Bridge]  
Ron went home to Jesus  
Got the call the other day  
I sat and cried and thought about  
The words I heard him say  
"I know there is a Heaven  
Waitin' for us after this  
This life ain't always wonderful  
But this life ain't all there is  
No, this life ain't always wonderful  
But this life ain't all there is"

[Chorus]  
So, let it send you flyin' high  
Let it bring me to my knees  
Bring the heartbreak and the happiness  
And everything between  
Let me laugh until it hurts  
Let me hurt until I cry  
And when it comes my time to go  
I'll smile and wave goodbye  
To this broken and beautiful  
Gone mad and magical  
Awfully, wonderful life

[Outro]  
It's a broken and beautiful  
Gone mad and magical  
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