The Fightin' Side of Me

Merle Haggard

I hear people talkin' bad
About the way they have to live here in this country

Harpin' on the wars we fight

An' gripin' 'bout the way things oughta be.

An' I don't mind 'em switchin' sides

An' standin' up for things they believe in.

When they're runnin' down our country, man

They're walkin' on the fightin' side of me. They're walkin' on the fightin' side of me.

Runnin' down a way of life

Our fightin' men have fought and died to keep.

If you don't love it, leave it:

Let this song that I'm singin' be a warnin'.

When you're runnin' down our country, hoss

You're walkin' on the fightin' side of me.

I read about some squirrely guy

Who claims, he just don't believe in fightin'.

An' I wonder just how long

The rest of us can count on bein' free.

They love our milk an' honey

But they preach about some other way of livin'.

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