

# 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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