

Listen to this song and try to explain the meaning of the following lines:

Discuss the meaning with your partner. If not sure, ask your teacher.

Behind the curtain

The show must go on
the show must go on
Inside my heart is breaking
My make-up may be flaking
But my smile still stays on

Whatever happens, I'll leave it all to chance

I'll soon be turning, round the corner now

Outside the dawn is breaking
But inside in the dark
I'm aching to be free

I'll face it with a grin I'm never giving in
On with the show!

I have to find the will to carry on

Show must go on

/Queen/

Empty spaces, what are we living for
Abandoned places, I guess we know
the score

On and on,
does anybody know what we are
looking for?

Another hero, another mindless crime
Behind the curtain, in the pantomime

Hold the line,
does anybody want to take it anymore?

The show must go on
the show must go on
Inside my heart is breaking
My make-up may be flaking
But my smile still stays on

Whatever happens, I'll leave it all to
chance
Another heartache, another failed
romance

On and on
does anybody know what we are living
for?

I guess I'm learning, I must be warmer
now

I'll soon be turning, round the corner
now

Outside the dawn is breaking
But inside in the dark
I'm aching to be free

The show must go on
the show must go on
Inside my heart is breaking
My make-up may be flaking
But my smile still stays on

My soul is painted like the wings of
butterflies
Fairytale of yesterday will grow but
never die
I can fly my friends

The show must go on
the show must go on

I'll face it with a grin I'm never giving in
On with the show!

I'll top the bill, I'll overkill
I have to find the will to carry on
the show must go on