

## **NOTHING REMAINS THE SAME**

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### **Drink it In**

I have seen the sun burning bright;  
though it's been years since I've seen the light  
Felt the warmth upon my skin;  
I'd run and hide; I would not drink it in.

Now, I do believe it may be time to open up this heart of mine  
Quench this thirst that stirs within  
I'll stand beneath that sun above; Drench me in the rays of love  
Drink it In.

I know my well is running dry;  
'cause there are no more tears to cry  
The last one that rolled down my face,  
I brushed aside; kept it just in case.

Now, I do believe it may be time to open up this heart of mine  
Quench this thirst that stirs within  
I'll stand beneath that sun above; Drench me in the rays of love  
Drink it In.

I can stay within my fortress  
Safe behind the door  
Or I can finally stop pretending  
I don't need something more

Now, I do believe it may be time to open up this heart of mine  
Quench this thirst that stirs within  
I'll stand beneath that sun above; Drench me in the rays of love  
Drink it In

## **True Love**

I never knew  
Love that is pure and true  
Until I loved you

There's good love  
There's cool love  
Smooth love and there's fool's love  
But, true love is a pure love; when the mind, body & soul are one

All I feel  
Something so surreal  
But I know it's real

There's good love  
There's cool love  
Smooth love and there's fool's love  
But, true love is a pure love; when the mind, body & soul are one

Like notes on a string, we are perfectly tuned  
I can feel your vibes when you're near in a room  
You hear my thoughts without saying a word  
And the way you move me is sweetly absurd

There's good love  
There's cool love  
Smooth love and there's fool's love  
But, true love is a pure love; when the mind, body & soul are one  
True love, is a pure love; when the mind, body & soul are one

## **Nothing Remains the Same**

Watch the steam rise from the pavement  
Sun's been scorchin' now for days  
My cup once runneth over  
Now it's dried up in the haze

I can't see past tomorrow  
The days roll into night  
And like this darn heat wave  
There is no relief in sight

Everything alters, nothing remains the same  
Lord, ain't it crazy how quickly life can change  
Since you've been gone, since you went away  
My whole world is altered; nothing remains the same

I see your face 'round every corner  
Every stranger looks the same  
At night I swear you're calling  
When I lie still I hear my name

I'm walking on the border  
Of truth and fantasy  
Caught somewhere in the middle  
Don't let it get the best of me

Everything alters; nothing remains the same  
Lord, ain't it crazy how quickly life can change  
Since you've been gone, since you went away  
My whole world is altered; nothing remains the same

Everything alters; nothing remains the same  
Lord, ain't it crazy how quickly life can change  
Since you've been gone, since you went away  
My whole world is altered; and nothing, oh nothing, remains the same

## **One Day More**

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Woke up this morning, put my feet on the floor  
Stretched my weary bones, feeling achy and sore  
Then I shuffled to the kitchen for my morning java fix  
Just a couple swigs always seem to do the trick.

Halleluiah, Celebrate

I got another day; I just can't wait  
I don't know what's before me. I can take what's in store  
Good golly Lord, you gave me one day more

Starin' in the mirror at this stranger in my room  
She's lookin' back at me, she smells of my perfume  
And I see the true reflection of a woman worn by time  
Still I have to smile when I look into her eyes

Halleluiah, Celebrate

I got another day; I just can't wait  
I don't know what's before me. I can take what's in store  
Good golly Lord, you gave me one day more

Open up the paper and I read the daily news  
Every page I turn is singing me the blues  
Makes me I think about the troubles in my own peculiar life  
They're really very small next to the sadness and the strife

Halleluiah, Celebrate

I got another day; I just can't wait  
I don't know what's before me. I can take what's in store  
Good golly Lord, you gave me one day more  
Good golly, Lord, you gave me one day, one day, one day more  
Good golly Lord you gave me one day more

## **Would You Mind?**

It's 3am, I'm still up; sipping on my second cup, I can't sleep  
Seems every night's the same routine;  
I re-live that final scene.  
You know the one, when I take my things and leave

It's not the first time I have run  
Got afraid when I saw love come  
But, it's the first time I regret what I have done;  
Oh, can we undo what I have done.

Would you mind, if I stopped by your place  
I miss your sweet face; your warm smile  
Would you mind if I lay against your chest  
Maybe we could rest for just a while  
And if your heart's steady beat should lull me down to sleep  
Could you hold me tight through the night?

I thought I could close your door, go back to where I was before, I felt you  
Now I'm battling with these evening blues,  
A fight that I don't want to lose  
I know it's time, I stop running from the truth

I was a fool to think I could resist  
When you laid your hands against my hips  
You stole my breath when you held me with your kiss  
Oh, I felt my breath go with your kiss

I'm sorry if I hurt you when I ran away to hide  
Acted like a coward I pushed your love aside  
If it's not too late can we give it one more try

Would you mind, if I stopped by your place  
I miss your sweet face; your warm smile  
Would you mind if I lay against your chest  
Maybe we could rest, for just a while  
And if your heart's steady beat should lull me down to sleep  
Could you hold me tight through the night?

We can hold each other tight  
Until everything's alright  
Would you mind?

## Stone Walls

Day long while ago I walked down a dirt road and stood in a time of great  
Stone walls lined the road; black and white cattle roamed  
In the fields, the corn grew up straight

These times have changed since my young life  
I never thought I'd see the day  
There's houses in cornfield 'round a fallen down barn  
The old dirt road was paved; the old dirt road was paved.

Day long while ago I rocked on a front porch and sipped cool lemonade  
Neighbors passed by; they smiled and stopped to talk about  
The corn, the weather or the day

These times have changed since my young life  
I never thought I'd see the day  
There's houses in cornfield 'round a fallen down barn  
The old dirt road was paved; the old dirt road was paved

Day short while ago I stopped on a dirt road and stood in a time of change  
I sat by a stone wall; stared at a front porch  
Fallen down, weathered from the rain

These times have changed since my young life  
I never thought I'd see the day  
There's houses in cornfield 'round a fallen down barn  
The old dirt road was paved; the old dirt road was paved

## **Something New**

We've been standing on this threshold, too afraid to move  
Been holding on to nothing like there's something left to prove  
Sure it would be easier to leave things as they are  
But, easier's not better when it don't satisfy the heart

You know they say the best laid plans, often go awry  
We gave it everything we had, couldn't keep love alive  
Went searching for reasons, enough for us to stay  
Guess it's time to get our lives on; go our separate ways

See the changes coming and I feel afraid  
Standing naked staring at an empty page  
Cast away the sadness when the past is through  
What looks like the end is the start of something new

I won't think of us in sorrow, I leave with no regrets  
Though memories be bittersweet, Love, I won't forget  
I don't know what waits for me further down the line  
But, if I'm starting over, it's life by my design

See the changes coming and I feel afraid  
Standing naked staring at an empty page  
Cast away the sadness when the past is through  
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## **Red Crescent Moon**

There's a red crescent moon hanging o'er my window  
Like the one on the night we met  
We stood in the shadow 'neath its evening glow  
Felt the tug of moon as our fate was set

Love took hold and it would not let go  
Held us in her arms of sweet caress  
Raised our souls high above the world below  
Under the light of the moon we were put to test

I love you and you love me  
We both agree we can never be  
You've got yours and I've got mine  
We do what's right, but live a lie  
That don't mean me I love you any less  
That don't mean me I love you any less

I was blessed to have a love like we know  
It may be right on another day  
But, we've got lives we started long ago  
Still it breaks my heart that I cannot stay

There's a red crescent moon hanging o'er my window  
Its light reflecting across my bed  
On tears that roll down upon my pillow  
Loving you, I never will regret

I love you and you love me  
We both agree we can never be  
You've got yours and I've got mine  
We do what's right, but live a lie  
That don't mean I love you any less  
That don't mean I love you any less  
That don't mean I love you any less, no, no, no ...

There's a red crescent moon hanging o'er my window

## **I'm Letting Go**

I don't need your picture hanging on my wall  
Don't need your cards and letters; over time I saved them all  
Each one holds a story from a different place in time  
When love was all we needed, we were always satisfied

I just keep on thinking, remembering that day  
Still it's hard to understand, you gave up and walked away  
I never saw it coming; they say that love is blind  
Once you started walking, you never stopped to look to behind

I'm letting go; I'm letting go; Gonna break these ties the bind  
Hold you like a prisoner, captive in my mind.  
I'm letting go; time heals all wounds; I'll be just fine  
I know there's still so many dreams waiting down the road, I'm letting go.

I'll open up a window as I close and lock this door  
It's time for moving on  
I don't want to think about you anymore.

I'm letting go; I'm letting go; Gonna break these ties the bind  
Hold you like a prisoner, captive in my mind.  
I'm letting go; time heals all wounds; I'll be just fine  
I know there's still so many dreams waiting down the road, I'm letting go.

I'm letting go ... I'll be just fine  
I'm letting go...  
Gonna break these ties that bind  
Hold you like a prisoner, captive in my mind  
I'm letting go ... I'll be just fine  
I'm letting go

## **Walking on Sacred Ground**

I heard the song; angels calling  
They sang "prepare, it won't be long"  
There is a place, for me in heaven  
Soon I will see my savior's face

All of my pain, will be forgotten  
Oh what joy, he'll call my name  
This heavy load, set on my shoulders  
Will be lifted when he carries me home

I'll leave my shoes at heaven's door  
I won't be needing them no more  
I'll be walking on sacred ground  
When my time with you is done  
I know my spirit will live on  
I'll be walking on sacred ground

It breaks my heart; that I must go  
It's much too soon for us to part  
But know my love, when I have gone  
I will comfort you from above

I'll leave my shoes at heaven's door  
I won't be needing them no more  
I'll be walking on sacred ground  
When my time with you is done  
I know my spirit will live on  
I'll be walking on sacred ground

Now don't you cry, we'll say goodbye  
Though it's only for a while  
And everyday, just remember  
I'll be only a whisper away

I'll leave my shoes at heaven's door  
I won't be needing them no more  
I'll be walking on sacred ground  
When my time with you is done  
I know my spirit will live on  
I'll be walking on sacred ground  
I'll be walking on sacred ground

I'll leave my shoes at heaven's door  
I won't be needing them no more. I'll walking on sacred ground

## **Tremble**

A perfect night for a moonlit tour  
We're hand in hand on Narragansett Shore  
Stand in the beam of the full moon's light  
You pull me in close and my world is right

I tremble straight down to my feet  
Swayin' in your arms; my legs are weak  
Anticipating love so sweet  
When you lay your kiss firm on my lips...  
You make me tremble

We're all alone, only you and I  
'Cept for the dozens of passersby  
The silly whispers from the young kids tell  
They don't know the power of a lover's spell

I tremble straight down to my feet  
Swayin' in your arms; my legs are weak  
Anticipating love so sweet  
When you lay your kiss firm on my lips...  
You make me tremble

There is no doubt about it  
I looked for love and found it  
I want to scream and shout it  
I've fallen deep into that lover's spell

And I tremble straight down to my feet  
Swayin' in your arms; my legs are weak  
Anticipating love so sweet  
When you lay your kiss firm on my lips  
I tremble; Feel me tremble  
You make me tremble

Ooh, Tremble; Ooh, You make me tremble  
Ooh, Tremble; Ooh, You make me tremble

## **My Heart has a Crazy Mind of its Own**

I don't need to look real hard to see the ice I'm standing on is thin  
And if I am not careful, I know I run the risk of falling in  
Falling in too deep  
Down in one clean sweep

My head knows the difference between right and wrong  
I'm walking this fine line where I don't belong  
In this war of the wills I could easily choke  
'Cause my heart has a crazy mind of its own

Everybody's sayin' how you love 'em then you leave 'em all alone  
I had no intentions, of going down that dark and sultry road  
But when you persist  
It's hard to resist

My head knows the difference between right and wrong  
I'm walking this fine line where I don't belong  
In this war of the wills I could easily choke  
'Cause my heart has a crazy mind of its own

Sweet fruit of Eden  
The bait of the snake  
I'm out on a limb  
Praying that it don't break

My head knows the difference between right and wrong  
I'm walking this fine line where I don't belong  
In this war of the wills I could easily choke  
'Cause my heart has a crazy mind of its own  
My heart has a crazy mind of its own  
My heart has a crazy mind of its own