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## When We Lay Down • 01

Moonlight shines on the spot where we used to lay  
Casting shadows on the promises and lies we made  
Darkest corner of my mind is where those memories stay  
Where we once lay

Midnight blues come around their gonna find me here  
Trying to get over you baby trying to face my fears  
Keeping it together but still my thoughts they stray  
To where we once lay

When we lay down  
On a blanket of love  
There's those stars we named  
There's our moon of love  
When we lay down  
Safe in each others arms  
No one can touch us now  
We keep each other from harm  
When we lay down

Taste of summer on her skin can take my breath away  
Soft words whispered in my ear you say your here to stay  
Passions burning hot together in the summer rain  
Where we once lay

Closing my eyes thinking how it used to be  
Memories of us baby coming back and haunting me  
Living in the past thinking of those crazy days  
Where we once lay

When we lay down  
On a blanket of love  
There's those stars we named  
There's our moon of love  
When we lay down  
Safe in each others arms  
No one can touch us now  
We keep each other from harm  
When we lay down

## Might Be Love • 02

Yeah it feels so damn right  
See your face smiling up at me from my pillow tonight  
No need to talk - Not much to say  
It's been a short time, but we've come a long way

I've been around seen everything  
Except a love like yours and all the joy it brings  
You caught me cold, I'm hypnotised  
The way you make me feel it took me by surprise

So when you wrap your loving arms around me  
Say you're so happy now baby that you found me  
Yeah it's the little things honey that you don't say  
Kinda make me feel that this time might be love  
Yeah this time baby might be love

I know love can come and go but with your lips you let me know  
This time it's here to stay  
Coz when I'm here alone with you make my wildest dreams come true  
Until our bodies ache  
Making love to you till our bodies ache

I've said goodbye to loneliness share my soul with you  
You know I feel I'm blessed  
The sweetest lips the warmest kind  
You give the deepest love some men will never find  
The deepest love some will never find

So when you wrap your loving arms around me  
Say you're so happy now baby that you found me  
Yeah it's the little things honey that you don't say  
Kinda make me feel that this time might be love  
Yeah this time baby might be love

## Last Hello • 03

Touch me, lay your hands upon me gently  
We'll fall into the past where it was easy  
And take me where i wanna go  
To where we used to be  
Oh you know

We never notice time  
But it still takes its toll, and it shows  
Have we just said our last hello  
Hold me like you did on that first night  
Oh please, just indulge me one more time

Fool me, make believe you still adore me  
If this our last dance then darling lead me  
And take me where i wanna go  
To where we used to be  
Oh you know

We never notice time  
But it still takes its toll, and it shows  
Have we just said our last hello  
Hold me like you did on that first night  
Oh please, just indulge me one more time

We never notice time  
But it still takes its toll, and it shows  
Have we just said our last hello  
Hold me like you did on that first night  
Oh please, just indulge me one more time

Doesn't that feel right  
Maybe we can save it all  
Are we just in time.

## Hell No • 04

Hell no,  
Gave my answer fast, but i was thinking slow  
You know how i react , you know what makes me blow  
So come on ask me baby, did i mean it  
When i said about your leaving  
Well Hell no

I know  
Been pushing you too far , but baby don't let go  
You know when i see red, I always get too bold  
So come on ask me baby, did i mean it  
When i said about your leaving  
Well Hell no

Hand on heart baby and i swear it  
I lost my way i took a lot of bad trips  
But deep down there's more to me  
I'm still the man that you loved, stick around and see  
And if your wondering did i mean it,  
when i asked you to leave  
Well hell no

I get stoned  
Been drinking way too much and staying away too long  
But i could count on you, see i got safely home  
So come on ask me baby, did i mean it  
When i said about your leaving  
Well Hell no

Guess all i'm tring to tell you that i'm sorry  
For dragging you down and loving you the wrong way  
But deep down there's more to me  
I'm still the man that you loved, stick around and see  
And did you really think i meant it  
When i asked you to leave  
Well hell no.

## Walk With You • 05

Let me walk with you  
Down where the waters run blue  
And seabirds glide on a lazy wind  
I know a secret place  
Where we can fall from grace  
And i can show you a rainbows end

Lets go making love  
where the waves come crashing in  
Let the spray fall cold  
As the sun burns down on our skin  
The water's fine baby dive right in  
We'll ride the tide till we're swept back in  
No treading water baby, sink or swim  
No treading water baby,sink or swim

Let me be your sail  
I'll guide you to the well  
And grant you wishes till i make you sing  
So put your hand in mine  
We'll find the sweet sublime  
Just close your eye's,i'll take you to the edge

All i'll ever want is you  
No one can love you like i do  
c'mon baby don't hesitate  
And let me take you down today

Lets go making love  
where the waves come crashing in  
Let the spray fall cold  
As the sun burns down on our skin  
The water's fine baby dive right in  
We'll ride the tide till we're swept back in  
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## This City • 06

Pour another long one  
Helps wash away the day  
As i listen to an old song  
Francis nailed it when he sings

That the  
The wee small ours are where it's at  
For lonely hearts and ally cats  
Those wicking hours beneath the moon  
For dancing shaddows morning comes too soon

This city shows it's signs  
Atracting every kind  
It's going on tonight  
Right beneath me  
This city comes alive  
And i can almost feel it breathing

Theres passion neath the street lights  
Theres war behind the shades  
As i stare out of my window  
Fascinated by the race

In the  
The wee small ours are where it's at  
For lonely hearts and ally cats  
Those wicking hours beneath the moon  
For dancing shaddows morning comes too soon

This city shows it's signs  
Atracting every kind  
It's going on tonight  
Right beneath me  
This city comes alive  
And i can almost feel it breathing

## Single Bar Routine • 07

Saw me waiting  
Creeping up on me  
Anticipating I could answer all your needs

Small talk exchanging  
Makes our intentions clear  
Desires need quenching  
And we're open to suggestions here

Cause there's a no obligation sign around here  
No strings attached you get what you see  
A stranger's love is company  
Just physical where the love used to be  
Yeah it's a common scene  
Single bar routine  
Discreetly brief no future contact please  
No future contact please

No hesitation cheap room across the street  
No reservations they're dark and small  
It's all we need

And now the stage is set  
She leans in close I light her cigarette  
My overnight relief  
I give to her just what she gives to me

Cause there's a .....

No future contact please  
Keep it discreetly brief  
It's only company  
This overnight relief  
Single bar routine

## This Other Me • 08

Hey girl it had to be a one way street  
You couldn't meet me half the way  
Oh come on, and tell me what you seen in me  
Was it the possibilities for change

I'm hurt i've every right to be  
Cause i've never asked of you  
And your words, your words are like a knife through me  
As you try to bend me to your rules

But i'm the man who used to hold your heart  
Now i can't even hold your gaze  
It beats me how we even let it come this far  
When clearly you don't feel that I exist

And how the hell d'you think that i'm supposed to feel  
When all my hopes seem obsolete  
I gave you more than any man can give  
But baby i can't find this other me

This love aint how it's meant to be  
Cause they say it's unconditional  
Well i've tried to tell you what it means to me  
But i've just been talking to a wall

But i'm the man who used to hold your heart  
Now i can't even hold your gaze  
It beats me how we even let it come this far  
When clearly you don't feel  
That i'm the man who used to hold your heart  
Now i can't even hold your gaze  
It beats me how we even let it come this far  
When clearly you don't feel that i exist

## God Only Knows • 09

Thank you for leaving  
for breaking my heart  
you took my feelings  
And you tore them apart

I could have stopped you  
But then again why should I try  
I know that you never loved me  
I could tell by those eyes

Some may find true love  
The first time they fall  
there's no easy way now  
I know cos I've tried them all

God only knows how many times a heart can break  
God only knows how much more this man can take  
Keep trusting my feelings  
And who knows what I will find  
And I know love might last forever next time

They say times a healer  
But that's where they're wrong  
there's no cure known to man  
That can mend those feelings so strong

To give up is easy  
But I'm not that kind  
it's a long life alone now  
But babe that won't cross my mind

God only knows how many times a heart can break  
God only knows how much more this man can take  
Keep trusting my feelings  
And who knows what I will find  
And I know love might last forever next time

## Please Be Tonight • 10

Please, please be tonight  
if theres a god up there  
and he hears my prayer  
well he'll send me a sign

She's, she's on my mind  
well i'm scared to sleep  
cause its her i see  
when i close my eye's

I aint asking for miracles  
just want peace of mind  
oh please, please be tonight

Me, me i'm just fine  
Anybody asks  
I just wear my mask  
but inside i'm dying

Tears, tears i can't cry  
aint no letting go  
cause i still don't know  
exactly why

i ain't asking for miracles  
just want peace of mind  
oh please, please be tonight

See i can't take another day  
where every shadow has her face  
so take my hand lord  
lead me cross that healing line  
and please oh please  
please be tonight

## Can't Help • 11

Suddenly i'm close to tears  
Should i ruin it  
Better keep my big mouth shut  
It's just like me to say too much

But we've been hanging out for years  
And you know me well  
Seen your face a thousand times  
And suddenly it's blown my mind

And i can't help the way i feel  
I'm losing it  
I've been searching all this time  
And here you are before my eye's  
And i can't tell you that it's real  
I'm scared of it  
So i'll just leave it one more day  
Tomorrow you might feel the same

The subtle changes when your near  
Have you noticed yet  
Just can't put my finger on  
But something tells me your the one

If i could only let you hear  
What my heart just said  
The risk of pushing you away  
A chance that i can't bear to take

And i can't help the way i feel  
I'm losing it  
I've been searching all this time  
And here you are before my eye's  
And i can't tell you that it's real  
I'm scared of it  
So i'll just leave it one more day  
Tomorrow you might feel the same

## We Belong • 12

In the morning when she rises  
The clouds give way to let the clear blue skies in  
And I just watch her as she rubs her eyes  
Her slightly ruffled hair, God is she really mine

And I feel blessed, blessed by her beauty and love  
She lays my fears to rest, and if that ain't enough  
She says she loves me  
Forget the old days cos they're gone  
We'll make the odds pay, we'll go the whole way  
Cos we belong

Those days when life can drive you crazy  
She wraps me in her arms says easy baby  
And she takes me to another place  
It's like she's got this door  
Slams it in trouble's face

And I feel blessed, blessed by her beauty and love  
She lays my fears to rest, and if that ain't enough  
She says she loves me  
Forget the old days cos they're gone  
We'll make the odds pay, we'll go the whole way  
Cos we belong

It's taken all this time to discover  
She's more to me than a lover  
She gives everything , that love can bring  
When I feel blue, she smiles, I'm right again  
Yeah it's a mystery, just what she sees in me

And I feel blessed, blessed by her beauty and love  
She lays my fears to rest, and if that ain't enough  
She says she loves me  
Forget the old days cos they're gone  
We'll make the odds pay, we'll go the whole way  
Cos we belong

## Crazy Phase • 13

Didn't i promise you  
The whole parade  
The whole nine yards  
And then a few  
Haven't i always  
Made the grade  
Well this is just that crazy phase we're going through

Haven't i always  
Saved the day  
When the world came  
Tumbling down on you  
And haven't i always  
Put a smile upon your face  
Well this is just that crazy phase we're going through

And i guess the stars were out of line tonight  
It makes the moon seem more than blue  
No i aint about to let go tonight  
I'm keeping hold of you  
Cause this is just a crazy phase we're going through

We've been through worse and we've got over  
It ain't like this is something new  
So baby, pull yourself together  
Hear what I'm telling you  
Oh, it's just a crazy phase we're going through

And i guess the stars were out of line tonight  
It makes the moon seem more than blue  
No i aint about to let go tonight  
I'm keeping hold of you  
Cause this is just a crazy phase we're going through

## Soon Everything • 14

Cold Sweat, i'm on my knees  
Let the drug, wash over me  
Can't move, i feel ill  
But soon everything will be beautiful

You don't know, you can't see  
The evidence, of my disease  
My mouths dry, just stay still  
Soon everything will be beautiful

Warm glow  
Breathing kinda slow  
Just curl up in a ball  
Soon everything will be beautiful

Your world, escaped me  
I was born, from a dirty seed  
No choice, from day one  
When everything should have been beautiful

A child without a dream  
Strung out before my teens  
Now the needle brings me home  
And soon everything will be beautiful

Warm glow  
Breathing kinda slow  
Just curl up in a ball  
Soon everything will be beautiful

## If Only • 15

I'm wasted  
Completely  
Just living out my head  
And it's only  
Misleading  
To say I'm easy lead

I chose the role  
The promises of gold  
The nights full of extremes so full of shit  
And if only  
They told me  
The road would lead to this

Don't waste your tears on me  
Cause I ain't all that I'm cracked up to be  
A star that never shawn  
I'm falling now  
And I hear the clowns applaud

I'm wasted  
Completely  
Just living out my head

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