# MARTY'S SONG WORDS ORIGINALS



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### A MINOR LICK

THIS SONG CONTAINS NO LYRICS.

A MINOR LICK is a musical played in the key of 'A MINOR'.

### ALKI

Take me for a walk on Alki, I've spent some good years on that land...

Met some ladies, told some stories and some lies, Those days in the sand helped me understand...

The morning fog breaks and the people all appear, Catching sun rays, while they gaze upon that mirror...

The waters cool and clean, the sky is blue and clear, Come a while and walk with me my dear...

The fires are blazing when the night comes down on Alki, Feeling so peaceful, rolling with the tide...

The music's playing, people are saying whatever makes them feel all right, Walking, talking, watching the seagulls glide...

People have lived here for many quiet years, For them it's the closest place to home...

Young and old together settle down with an open ear, Come a while and walk with me my dear...

### BABY, I'VE GOT TO GO

Baby, I've got to go...
I don't know why, or where or when or how,
But baby, I've got to go...

Baby, I've got to leave here now, I want to move away and keep my pain behind, I've got to go...

Baby, I've got to go...
I don't see you like before,
And now it really doesn't matter any more...

I said baby, I must relieve myself, You've held me back from all those things there are to find, I've got to go...

Baby, I've got to go...
I can't see how you had control,
But now I want to rectify my soul...

Baby, I want to know something else, Besides the loneliness of you and I, I've got to go...

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### **CHANGING WITH THE TIMES**

Ah, you know how much life changes, All the time that you're around,

We used to save for a stash, Now we're spending it on gas, I wonder how big business makes it last.

I saw a pretty lady at the park the other day, She's got a cute pup Irish Setter, and it really loves to play, So peaceful seeing her run, the cops just couldn't feel the fun, No leash on your pet, a ticket you'll regret, baby look what you've done.

Some folks wonder why I'm here, Just kicking back drinking a beer, I'll hit another bar that's near,

And survive the confusion, In my little illusion, Just another glass or two, And I'll forget what we're all going through.

The movie industry is giving you what you really need, The death and violence, it's so nice to see someone bleed, Then we all go home, and while we're getting stoned, Ask each other why the world has such an uneasy tone.

Wanting peace and freedom now, Just waiting for the answers how, I'll just sit back and get plowed,

And enjoy the confusion, In my little illusion, Just another glass or two, And I'll forget what we're all going through.

And I'm living with the times, And I still hear the chimes, While I think of this future of mine.

It's got to get better now, We've got so much to live for now, We'll live with the ways somehow.

I'm feeling much better now, Slowing down but relaxing now, How much more will you all allow before you,

Slow down?

## DAZING

#### VERSE 1:

I'm just sitting here, dazing about you. And I hope my darling you're dazing about me too.

I've always wanted, someone to love, And now I know I do, because I feel good up above, Running in circles till we met, but I stopped right on time, Now I want you to have me on your mind.

#### VERSE 2:

While the days keep on shifting, the clouds always drifting, My likes keep lifting for us.
Yes the times are a changing,
AGE we're arranging,
The difference isn't worth a fuss.

Learning more about people just asking where they're at, Most of them realizing they've got to do something, With that life that moves so fast...

Happiness is all of those things you always want to last, My time seems just fine with you.

#### **CHORUS:**

You're beautiful, and I want a part of that, You've got the way to make me smile and that's where I'm at.

## DEPRESSION

I talked to my father yesterday, His skin is gray, body frayed, Been drinking his life away...

Oh, life can be depressing, Oh, life can be depressing.

I talked to my brother yesterday, He's been working in that concrete jungle, He says Vietnam still won't go away...

#### **CHORUS**

I talked to my baby yesterday, She said she's doing real good, Then she looked at me and told me to go away...

#### **CHORUS**

### DREAMS WE'VE FILMED

Up the stairs of life, Trying to learn to do what's right, We're on our way to the sunlight, in an open flight...

And the smiles we had, Helped us through the bad, As you held on to my hand, My ways you tried to understand...

#### **CHORUS:**

I'll keep moving on, you don't hold on to time that's gone (3: away), You (3: just) can look back and say, Yes, we rolled along, in our wine and song, happy to be strong, Dreams we've filmed in our minds from yesterday...

As we move ahead,
Sometimes we stay in bed too long,
Eyes are wet and red, wondering what went wrong...
Yes the chance is there,
If you really care and want your love to grow,
The friendship we all want to know...

#### **CHORUS**

Sometimes our thoughts move slow,
No need to run away no more,
Find someone who won't make your heart sore,
When there's no one here,
And those lonely feelings seem to reappear,
Plans change, and it's hard to let your head clear...

#### **CHORUS**

### FADE AWAY

D<sub>MAJ</sub> (Intro.)
2 bars of 4 Feel me while I'm standing, all alone..

Peel me while I'm crying, oh Lord' lost in the cold zone..

And my dreams are forgiven if I let them stray away..

And my love is forbidden to come near me,

While she fades away..

Hear me while I'm walking,
I walk every night and every day,
'Oh Lord' I walk every day and every night..

Why don't you rest me while I wander,
'Oh Lord' it just don't seem right..

And my dreams are forgiven if I let them stray away..

And my love is forbidden to come near me,

While she fades away..

### FAREWELL TO MY BROTHER

Through life there's a message, ya all have heard before, To find out there's a good old friend, you won't be seeing any more... He wanted the world to come together, activating peace of mind, He died while trying to satisfy, he was the best of his kind...

And though it's always destiny, don't you ask me, cause' I don't know, Why sad news hits so suddenly, it was an early time to go...

This is farewell to my brother, I surely loved you so, In all our laughter, always on the go... This is farewell to my brother, we surely loved him so, Through all our lifetime, so long ago...

And now that we're all over, we've had our last good high, Isn't it a pity, we never said good-bye...
We lived and loved together, working to unite,
Ah, come on now don't you ask me, because I don't know why,

This is farewell to my brother, you've taken part of me, We'll see each other in, eternity...

### (10) FATE

Nobody wants to die, Nobody wants to sacrifice what they've got Whatever the price, they believe in living...

It doesn't matter whether you're Catholic or Jew, You don't want to give your life For a cause that isn't right, You believe in living...

And your living will decide your fate, If you've got a dream go on live it, Don't just sit back and wait.

And when you die, you go to either heaven or hell, Depending on the way you've spent your years, In a hard world where you've shed some tears, And who knows what our greatest fears, Of right and wrong and where it steers, to living...

And every once and a while some will become insane, And take their lives in profanity, If they had the chance to change their minds, They'd laugh again and flow with time, To them life seemed bad, so unkind, But happiness is a string you wind, yourself.

And if you're giving your life for the lord, You will die, Even though inside, You really don't know if it's right. There must be another way to ride, Cause with peace we're all satisfied, with living.

And you're living will decide you're fate, Who really knows what's wrong until it's too late...

### FAVORED LADY

You, know me better than you should.

She, has my problems understood.

I, have the pain of telling you.

That she, would do better than you could.

Any time that I'm feeling free,

The truth comes out, you're loves' begun to drain.

An implication that my actions must change,

If I want the favored lady to remain.

I'm home and all alone, and the ladys' left me cold, But I've got someone to phone, she's full of love.

The night is cold and muggy, as the car warms, I approach, And she feels near... So sincere.

Her steps are tinted with the frosty ice worlds,

As I climb I notice that the door is open,.. Ah' there she is, For now she's going to be the lady of my dreams,.

Love is the answer for me,... Love is the answer for me...

She, took my feelings so sincere.

We laughed, her pride I didn't fear.

The night, seemed to fly by with the beer.

Getting home, just really didn't matter.

Any time that I feel this way,

It seems to lift me high.

Confrontations that make the night,

Help to make this man again think he's alive.

(MUSICAL)

On my way back home, again all alone,

I daze,.. At the hazy sky.

As I walk inside,

The vibes of something that you really just can't hide, Changed my mind,.

Love is the answer for you,... Love is the answer for you...

### FIVE-TON BLUES

The call was for rain,
But all we got was dust.
So we stayed inside of our trucks,
Hoping for the very best.
Four weeks down the drain,
Three left to bust,
Drive on, drive on,
Work for your crest.

Driving five tons, driving five tons, Isn't it a gas, boys isn't it fun.
Driving five tons, driving five tons, I'll keep driving my truck,
I'll keep driving my truck,
As long as my truck will run.

I work very hard, yes I work for my pay, Ya, right on, I'm in the Army, I am a man, and I do what I can, I wonder what they're going to have me hauling today.

### (CHORUS then MUSICAL)

The call finally came,
And the dust changed to mud,
So we all stayed inside,
Hiding from the rain.
I rest my dreary body,
While I think of me' dame,
And I daze
Until I see her form.

(CHORUS then END)

## FLOABTICI

I've got a lot of miles metered on these running feet, I've got a lot of places and a lot of people to meet, Can't slow down for too long unless I'm really beat, Right now I hear some music just on down the street...

And it sounds life heaven, beats so strong, With a sound like that, you just can't go wrong...

I met a cute harmonic lady, asked her for a date, She said anytime this weekend, I could hardly wait...

And she danced, just like a dream, One of the best I've ever seen... The way her feet slid on the floor, All I said is give me more... You're a queen...

What an evening it has truly been with you, I mentioned to the lady when the night was through, We'll see each other soon and have another brew, I'll call you when there is another night we can do...

And there's so much spirit going on, With a feeling like that, life will come along...

Waking up every day is slow but it speeds up okay, Then the afternoon comes, and the streams of all the people start to run...

I got a friend I like to party with, we always keep check, It's quite a ways to drive my car, but what the heck, And we drink and have talks about the thrills of life, and all it's knocks, And then we laugh about the score, argue politics and war, and rock...

I like to boogie through the streets at night, A little rock and roll can set me off so bright, Seeing people smile is such a beautiful sight, Hearing songs with motivation makes be feel all right,

And it sounds like heaven beats so strong, With a sound like that, you just can't go wrong...

## FLY WITH A FRIEND

I've seen the early morning hours, working before the sun starts to shine, Got to stay in good graces, so I can still afford my jeans...

Looking out at the city and its towers, a daydream about what could be mine, And knowing those faces, of the people who've learned what it means...

I'd like to be free as a bird and let the wind carry me home, And fly with some friends that have heard how to make it on their own...

I've had the chance to make the choices, about what to do with my life,
Over a beer and a game of pool, trying to forget I was a fool...
There have been those times I have heard some voices, they said son,
Don't cut yourself with that knife,
And I live by that rule, use my experience for a tool...

Things shine a light on you every day, sometimes in a strange, strange way, It's good to look back, many memories stay, we all have the chance to say..., WE'RE FREE!!!!!!!

I'd like to be free as a bird and let the wind carry me home, And fly with some friends that have heard how to make it on their own... I'm gonna keep believing in peace, it's the only way to get by, And hold deep inside that I'm free and I won't give it up, I'll still try...

## GAMES

Why do so many people play so many games with my mind? Why do so many people try to take all my time?

When you told me that you loved me,

You said you'd never let me go,

Well now baby that you've left me,

I've got a soul that's hurting so,...

Woe, she's got a loving heart.

Why do so many people play so many games with my brain? Why do so many people try to drive me insane?

Why did she hurt me?

Why did she make me cry?

Why don't she love me?

My baby said bye-bye, My baby said bye-bye,...

She just turned and go.

She said she don't love me no more,

I've got a soul that's hurting so,...

### (MUSICAL)

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I've got a soul that's hurting so,..

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### GROWING FROM THE PLACES

When I get back, it won't be long, just a year Just like our death, don't shed a tear, It is something that we can't forget...

A journey that was planted in my mind, Since the conquering of time, Just a breath but it's the longest one yet...

Walking to the castles, and it doesn't look too far away...

It seems like it's dreamed by most everyone, To see what the medievals' done, The shell that will show us of yesterday...

Activating once again to the world, It feels so great my life's been twirled, Politics I'd rather be out then in...

Space stations' busy while I'm going out the door, Pick up the phiney from the floor, Growing from the places we have been...

Visitings' nice but this ain't my style, I think while I polish green tile, At once the thought seems so far away...

Away we go the scenery's starting, A long time back and now we're parting, Baby, baby how's your fantasy, Now I'm home and I'm glad to be free...

### (17) *I AM*

Many people tell me I'm different I am different that I know, But if you want me for your man You'll take me as I am, please understand.

You said you'd love me whether I was right or wrong, Well you're going to have to be strong, Cause' if you want me for your man, You'll take me as I am, Please understand.

Yesterday I'd walk down the street,
There was so much to see,
And today it's the same, but I'm a different man,
Don't you see?
I'm what I am,
And no one's going to change me,
No matter what they do,
Cause it's right for me,
And I believe
That it's right for you.

I keep telling you that too many people are the same, Why do you think we all have different names, If you want me for your man, You'll take me as I am, Please understand.

#### MUSICAL

I am growing very nervous in my mind, I think I'm running out of time.
But what I do is up to me to decide,
On what side of the road I'll ride.
And no ones' going to change my life,
Yes, they can certainly try.
But as far as I'm concerned
they'd be wasting their precious time,
Oh, they might just as well die.

#### MUSICAL

Many people tell me I'm different I am different that I know, But if you want me for your man, You'll take me as I am, Please understand.

### I LIKE TO JOKE

I like to walk through the park on a nice day,
I like to watch the eagles fly so high in the sunray,
I like to joke with my friends, it really blows me away,
But most of all,
I love you.

So come with me my love, it's a short walk to the pond, And we can laugh awhile, while we're sitting on the lawn, And if we want, we can stay out till the dawn, My love,

I love you.

#### (MUSICAL)

So come with me my love, take my hand, I might not be able to offer you much, but with you I'll take a stand, And together with our love, we'll learn to understand, My love,

I love you.

### I SEE YOU IN THE MORNING

I see you in the morning when I'm rising, Your loving care keeps me realizing, I love you baby all these times I'm needing you, So good to know my lady you're needing me too...

#### **CHORUS:**

Sha la la la la la You give me comfort Sha la la la la la I feel your love Sha la la la la la You'll always be there Wo oh o oh, oh o oh o...

The things you always do for me, keep me smiling, So sweet all the time affection you've been styling, Lovely girl my baby, you're oh so true, Hold me always daily, I believe in you...

I'll be with you forever, stay so close to me, Our love will make us happy, you're that part I see, You know I crave you baby, would you always be, The one who loves me endlessly, you're my vital key...

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### IF I SAID THAT I LOVE YOU

If I said that I loved you,
And wanted you for all time,
Would you be my lady and help my mind.
I've always been a drifter,
A stroken' shovelhead is my home.
Riding through the wind on a V-Twin,

### Has kept me from being alone...

You've held me gliding so gently,
Embraced vibrating the road,
Talking over the sound of the engine, the richness of our spirits glowed,
I ain't no fair-weather biker,
My scooter rolls all through the year,
Driven by hearing the thunder,
Tooling down the highway with no fear...

You've traveled so far, leaning back on the bar, A part of me wherever we are, In the sun and the rain, or when the cold comes again, We take off and light up like a shooting star...

I was a lonely man, I didn't know what I was headed for, Then you turned me around and you opened up the door, I found out my life was worth so much more, An endless supply of all my desires in store... Baby, where had you been before, You picked me up when my face was down on the floor, You helped heal a heart that was so sore, Baby, You've won my war...

If I said that I loved you,
And wanted you for all time,
Would you be my lady and help my mind.
I've always been a drifter,
A stroken' shovelhead is my home.
And you're the one who's my lifter,
To keep me from being alone...

## IF YOU WANT TO

Reach, for all the answers you can, Discover this land, if you want to see... Lift, yourself up to the sky, Show how you testify, what you want to be...

#### **CHORUS:**

Look ahead cause' – Ready, Action... You're the star... I'm talking 'bout being who you are...

Truth, is the logical choice, Those you listen to your voice, Grow from what you say...

Peace, is what we're all looking for, You can open the door, If you want today...

#### **CHORUS**

Finding love, is a beautiful sign, Feeling good can happen anytime, When life is kind, and things are going so fine, Happiness will keep you in your prime...

Love is such a beautiful word, Especially when it's heard from someone who's true, And trust, is what you've always preferred, You're lonely heart will be cured, If you want it to...

#### **CHORUS**

### I'LL NEVER SAY GOODBYE

I have the memories, Of what I wanted us to be, 'In love forever,' you and me...

You've got your freedom, Mine was with you, Being together in our love so true...

Impatient frustration,
Pushed you away,
Fears of no reassurance, you would stay...

All my anxiety, Had you feeling so uncomfortably, All I wanted was for you to be with me everyday...

Riding through the wind, Fifteen thousand miles, All the love and more you'd send, Giving with your smiles...

Through all my journeys, Someday I'll stop asking why, God knows if I had the chance again, I'd try...

In all my heart aches, Sometimes I might break down and cry, I'll always remember you as a good friend, And I'll never say goodbye...

## I'M A DREAMER

Lovely, is the girl that I love, And of course she's got beautiful eyes, Though it took me a few days to realize, She didn't love me, she didn't care...

Painful, is this hole in my heart, Actually I'm happy cause' the girl I love isn't sad, As a matter of fact she's quite glad, She's with her man, and she's happy...

I kept telling myself, don't make your move, But it's too late I already have, My friends are all telling me, keep working, kill it with time, But I just can't seem to get her off of my mind...

I'm a dreamer, and I know, That ain't gonna help me forget my baby... I'm a dreamer, and I know, That ain't gonna help me forget my baby...

I kept telling myself, don't make your move, But its too late I already have, So for the next part of my life, I might be in a little misery... But I'll never forget all the good times we had...

## I'M LIVING

I'm living, I'm Flying I'm trying, today Getting help, In finding my way...

And as long as you're right here with me I'll be...

I'm laying, I'm staying
No more playing around
For me
I'm happy as can be...

And as long as you're right here with me I'll be...

#### **BRIDGE:**

See me leaping, see me going my way...
I use reason, I ain't wasting my stay...
In the morning, when she's calling on me...
In the evening, when she sets me free...

### We're living, we're Flying

Never dying, I'm told Maybe in fifty years we'll get old... And as long as we still can believe We'll be...

## IT'S HARD

My father gave me an understanding
About the human race...
He said: "If you count on someone else,
They could let you down, and be gone without a trace...
Learn security in the love of yourself and then you will face
The satisfaction life gives through the blessing of God's grace..."
Because:

#### **CHORUS:**

It's hard when you live and it's hard when you cry, When you think of those people you've trusted. And it's hard when you laugh, when you know it's a lie, When they said they'd be with you when you're busted.

Debts take all my money
My boss made me fire a buddy
Came home to catch the blues, I lose a partner and my honey...
The bank box ate my cash card,
Got arrested cause my dog got out of the yard...
Fears cause panic, the jokes on me and it just ain't funny...

In easy times, acquaintances of mine are around, I like to share...

Days I'm in a bind with the Good Lord's true signs,

Have found precious friends who really care...

I've tried to be kind, all best wishes in mind,

But sometimes it seems like no one's there...

I pray to stop resenting, take these voices from my head

Give me faith to gain the wisdom from the words my Daddy said...

He said:

#### **CHORUS:**

### JUST LIKE BEFORE

I can see you, in your youth, so young...

#### Me, I'm like a leaf in the wind, and you're still the only one...

You called me your angel, then you walked inside my door...

I lived a fantasy...

and I need to know if you want me more...

If you're ever alone walking late at night, and it's cold and dark and it feels like no one cares...

You don't have to go too far, just look inside and see me smiling baby, I promise ya, I'll always be there...

And I'm going to hold you, just like before...

Relive my fantasy...

And I need to know if you want me more...

#### MUSICAL

I can see you, and the way we use to be...

Do you ever think about it,

Doe's it play a meaningful part of your history...

I'm going to hold you, just like before...

find my reality...

But I need to know if you want me more..

Yes I need to know if it's your love that my heart is waiting for.....

## LIGHT THE DARKNESS

When I used to go outside, I'd come back in and close the blinds, turn out the light and hide under my covers.

The darkness of my closed off room, escaping time inside my tomb, my life was doomed I wasn't like the others.

# And it's all the same, when you remember the pain., Can't go back where I came, I want to be sane again..

The past was gone, I'd let it go, the future seemed so far below, what purpose meant, I didn't know my conscience.

Mass ruins I at one time crossed, what was it for when all was lost, teardrops buried in the frost of silence.

All my destiny, in wisdom from the testimony and lessons with this legacy, show me reality... Sharing victory, the healing of discovery, children laughing playfully, makes me happy...

Where is home Baby?

My self-destruction in the middle of the night,

exhausted my thoughts till I couldn't fight, I'd held on so tight and needed to release the harness.

The warmth of hearing others say,

they'd been there too and found the way, to melt the gray and how to light the darkness..

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### LOOK WHAT WE'VE GOT

Ah, you're right I like you, I like you a lot, Maybe even I love you, if I do, look where I got.

I've admired you for oh so long, Something tells me we're meant for each other, I've got the feeling so strong.

I see you while I'm coming home from work late at night, running up with that look of desire and wrap your arms around me tight.

If you were mine, then I'd be fine, climb that ladder together, make our way through time.

Though some days the meaning of motivation may seem worthless for a while,
You hold yourself together, hoping for better weather,
knowing some way you must find your call.
I have been down that lonely road, found it hard to raise a smile,
but now I have attractions to move instead of stall,
if you would be my lady, I know I'd have it all.

So you're right I like you, maybe even love you a lot, Maybe even you love me too, if you do look what we've got. Maybe even you love me too, if you do will you look what we've got.

### MAKING COMMITMENTS

I've been thinking of you baby,
At work it's always crazy, every day...
I need to take it easy,
To have some quiet time for you and me...

### I'd love to talk with you on the phone, But I don't know if I'm ever gonna make it home.

I'm always late; I'm never on time,
I get where I'm going, and when I should leave
I always loose my mind...
I should settle down,
But when I try to it just seems
To cause me harm...

I'd love to get with you alone, But I don't know if I'm ever gonna make it home.

### - MUSICAL -

I want my soul companion,

The one who understands and loves me dear...

The stage has been set; I've got no regrets,

I've jumped in before,

And it's never worked out yet...

I'd love to get with you down to the skin and bone, But I don't know if I'm ever gonna make it home.

## MARGIE

What did I do or what did I say now, I don't even remember the place, All I remember is that I love you,

And your name is Margie.

I sure hope that I see you again, Although fate will have it I never will, All I remember is that I love you, And your name is Margie.

(Bridge:)

If I should ever meet you again,
Which I hope I some day will...
I will hold you in my arms
and let you know the way I feel..
You are something that helps my heart
And makes my mind feel like it will last
Till the end of time,
Oh I love you but I don't even know if you're real..
Are you real?

How could I fall in love with something I don't even know, Ah but its strange what can happen when you drop a little yellow pill, All I remember is that I love you,

And your name is Margie.

(MUSICAL then REPEAT from BRIDGE and END..)

### MUSICAL IN "A MAX"

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### **MUSICAL IN "A MINOR"**

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### MY PRIDE

This is a story 'bout me and my babe, She treated me 'o so bad in every way, Then one day I got up and said, I'd stay but you're really hurting my pride.

You know you're in my heart, you're in my heart to stay, And if I could forget you, then I wouldn't say.

I need you, and I want you, But I can't have you if you don't want me in your heart, So I must tell you now that my pride, is stronger than my love, And we must part.

So I must teach my head and heart, I can't have you by my side, And if I want a fresh start, I must refer to pride

So go on my darling, be on your way, Because if you're here too long, I might beg you to stay.

Now you've heard my story, well what do you say, Do you think I should have stayed by her side, I've been a happy man since she left yesterday, And I owe it all to my pride.

## PLAYING MY REQUEST

I thank you, for playing my request,
You've heard it all, played it all before,
And you know,. Just what you want..

My cup of coffee, has sat too long and become cold, Now I've got to get up and get another one, And drink it before it gets old, And you know,. Just what you need..

(MUSICAL)

So take the question, don't let it run you're mind,
Don't let it blow you're mind,
And you'll know,. Just what you are..

### RESTAURANT LADIES

Have you ever met a lady before, Who seemed to be from long ago? Where she's from, you really just don't know...

Have you written notes back and forth, Using a napkin for the pad? And was she beautiful, was she beautiful like her?...

Is there someone you wish was close, As you smile with thoughts she not so far away? Showing your thoughts as your tip drops in her tray...

Does she serve the wine with sensitive pride?

Do you want her by your side?

And is she beautiful, is she beautiful like her?...

Restaurant ladies are all a kind,
Whose beauty can take over your mind,
Now and then one you might find,
Will take the time, to look for signs,
To see if this man just could work out fine...

### (MUSICAL)

Is she always pouring wine in your glass?

Does she smile each time she makes a pass?

And is she beautiful, is she beautiful like her?...

And is she beautiful, is she beautiful like her?...

Wo oh oh, is she beautiful like her?...

#### (36)

### ROAD TO THE MOUNTAIN

Here I am, been waiting an hour,
I'd walk but my legs got no power,
Ten more miles and I'll be home.
Don't care about valor,
I'm still picking flowers,
To my baby all alone.

Won't someone please be friendly,
And drive me so I'll be,
A little further from the coast.
A ride sure would mend me,
From a day that has bent me,
With disgust I sure can't boast.

And look at them, they're smiling, But a finger tells me why, With all my tension piling, Who will help or even try...

Hitching up the road,

Road to the Mountain right on through,

I'll soon be with my baby,

And we'll make one out of two.

#### (MUSICAL..)

And look, he might be stopping, He seems to be slowing down, My running feet are flopping, We're pulling off the ground...

Hitching up the road,
Road to the Mountain right on through,
I'll soon be with my baby,
And we'll make one out of two.

#### (37)

### ROCK ME IN THE MORNING

Rock me in the morning, baby oh,
I really want to be with you tonight...
Baby can't you see that
You're the only woman who can make me feel all right...

You're gonna rock me in the morning, I want to stay and play, holding on all day, love's brew... I'm gonna be all your emotion...

All the time is full, of a flowing roll, all through, it's true... Oh baby, I want to rock into the morning with you...

Baby feel my heartbeat, You're the only one that makes me want to hold on tight, I can hear the laughter of you and me together, Getting down with all our might...

We're gonna have imagination, All my thoughts come out, I feel so good about, we two... Our minds are moving in fast motion...

You really have the way, to make me feel okay, all through, it's true... Oh baby, I want to rock into the morning with you...

Baby, baby, baby, baby, I want to be with you...
Save me baby, you're the only lady,
Who knows just what to do...

You're gonna rock me in the morning, All my thoughts come out, I feel so good about, we two...

I'm gonna be all your emotion...

You really have the way to make me feel okay, all through, it's true... You drive me crazy, I want to rock into the morning with you...

### (38) <u>SOME FRIEND</u>

How could someone who says they're your friend, Going to hang on 'til the very end, Let you down?...

Once as close as family, Now scorns you with his treachery, Playing like that's his way to the crown...

Well I once would give him anything, Whatever I had I'd surely bring, I cared, oh yeah, I did, oh yeah But he took the help inside his wing, Then pushed me down and started to sting, He dared, oh yeah, what wit, oh yeah...

Looking back I still see my shack, In the night so black, and the door was cracked, By my good friend, and his mob. Yelling tales of perjury, Of how I used him to benefit me, By walking over him, then taking his job.

It's all a lie, I tried to say,
I got you a job, then you threw it away, yourself,
oh yeah, you did, oh yeah.
I didn't seem to make them believe,
So we fought and I ended up in a dream,
No help, Oh no, no wit, oh no...

Out cold I still felt the nightmare Of the kicks and the slugs, They were insane. When I woke they were gone And I stumbled inside, I felt drained...

I saw him on the street just the other day When he noticed me, he turned and ran away, I'm glad he didn't stay...

I'm not the kind of man to hold a grudge, But I'll be ready the next time he comes, Oh yeah, I'll do okay.

He made his point and I sure made mine, Cause it doesn't bother me to see him anytime. Oh no, he knows, oh yeah. I'll sure think next time I find a friend, Will this one be good until the end? I hope, ah ha, I hope, oh yeah.

#### (39)

## SOMEDAY I'LL BE FREE

He loves you, that's for sure, He's come back to you before, That means he loves you.

He needs you, more and more, And the thought of you without him by his side, Life is quite a bore.

Maybe someday I'll be free,
But today I'll live with my misery,
Maybe someday I'll have friends,
But today I'll live Alone...

Don't worry, he'll come back to you, Lovers find they're way, as always in the sun, You'll forget about me in the morrow, Rest your dreams, and end my sorrow.

## CHORUS (MUSICAL)

Don't cry, he'll come back to you, Lovers find they're way, as always in the sun, You'll forget about me in the morrow, Rest your dreams, and end my sorrow.

Maybe someday I'll be free,
But today I'll live with my misery,
Maybe someday I'll have friends,
But today I'll live Alone...

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Thinking of some times I've had in Southern California, Riding through the heat, on busy streets I've got to warn ya...

#### **CHORUS:**

Summertime from the beach to the hills, People rocking, ain't no stopping, you can always get real, You can fill your thrills, if you want you will... come on...

I like to cruise around down in Southern California, All the action, far-out people, and excitement It's got for ya...

#### **CHORUS**

Have you ever seen the nightlife down in Southern California?.. The latest bands, new movie stands, so entertaining, it will show ya...

#### **CHORUS**

# STAY BY MY SIDE

My curtains' open wide to find the vision in my sights for you Walking softly through the flower paths humming songs that we learned when they were new I was with you when they grew...

Yes, you'll stay by my side And that's where you'll ride I love you though I've hardly tried Cause you keep me satisfied

Hearing gentleness pass through your lips saying strongly with no pausing "Baby I Love You"

Leaning together on the counter edge Fantasizing all the times that we'll go through That's a painting we both drew...

Trusted words you will know
I'll try to tell you so you'll see nothings' in our way
And if the problems stack, we'll stay right on the track,
nothing makes us fall back, we're gaining strength every day...

I love you, you know I do.. Your lasting look builds up my confidence perceiving that it's good and our wishes would all come true Respecting each other's separate point of view...

# STRIKE

The time clock punched another twelve-hour day, It's what we've got to do or we're not getting paid, We're trying to keep up with all the plans that we've made, But we might as well forget them cause' today we're a slave...

#### **CHORUS:**

We better strike, stand up for what we believe, The owner doesn't care, he'll just sit back and watch us bleed, We better strike and walk together on the street, Power to the people we're the workers that you need...

I heard a politician endorse the union that I'm in, Air traffic control is where we saw it all begin, We should of all quit flying and said give those folks a raise, Be united with the people might be your job that it saves...

The tactic of Big Business is to have us running scared, They'll get someone to do the job for only half the fare, They'll take the extra money and leave our wallets bare, It's not that we don't give a shit but if we really care...

We're giving up vacation time and losing holidays, Working on the weekend while the boss goes out and plays, We're keeping up with bills by working over for the pay, What ever happened to the eight-hour day...

We're watching prices still go up and wages still go down, Everyone can notice all the money in this town, There's a major change to rich and poor no middle class around, The tension's building we can hear those drums start to pound...

The senior mans' forgotten for his dedicated tries, The benefits and confidence all proven to be lies, Good foreigners who work for less and hope that you'll survive, Remember that you're one of us and we'll all take the dive...

Unless we strike, stand up for what we believe, The owner doesn't care, he'll just sit back and watch us bleed, We better strike and walk together on the street, Power to the people we're the workers that you need...

# STROLL AWAY

The fresh night air smells like roses of love,
The wind is still your voice is calm,
I want to walk, with you and talk,
Wouldn't you like to come along..
The moon is full and it will light up our path,
We will travel unified,
And let the stars be our guide..

Stroll away, Stroll away,

Through the night with me,

Stroll away, Stroll away,

Through the night with me,

And we'll be together,

Sharing thoughts of what we see..

I can notice from that look in your eyes,
You'd like to spend a while with me,
The plan is here, to have you near,
I'll take you where you want to be..
The road is colored with the flowers of God,
Your beauty makes it all worth while,
You lift me up with your smile...

# SUMMER SONG

She smiled, and she walked so close to me, It gave me a feeling in my memory, And let me remember when I was free.

Oh how I love the summer, Yes I love it more than the fall, But I love them all. I love them all...

I kissed her, and for a little while she smiled, And she walked so close to me. Walking over the grass, Thinking of times to pass, Should I say some things? Or maybe I'll wait and tell her in a while.

It's been a long, long time since I've enjoyed life like this, With the thoughts of happiness instead of disgust, And a little trust...

(MUSICAL)

And you ask me if I love you, When you know I already do.

I love you...
I love you...

# SUNDAY

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# TOGETHER FOREVER

I've been working for a long, long time,
And now that I'm home, I feel fine,
Cause you and me, we are free,
Together, forever, my love.

And every day, they'll be sun in our eyes always.. And every night, you'll be holding on tight to me..

If I should be coming home a little late tonight,
You'll know everything's going to be alright,
Cause you and me, we agreed,
Together, forever, my love.

And every day, they'll be sun in our eyes, Every way, you'll be thinking about us, Looking my way my baby..
You'll be holding on tight, Its alright my baby..,
You'll be smiling at me,
You know I love you baby..

(MUSICAL and END with FADE OUT)

### WHAT IT COMES DOWN TO

4/4.. Beat: 4 4 8 Lead in (4 cycles): Em, D, A Em

1) Focusing in on my window's cobwebs,

And the dust piles on the floor,

Making differences from a twisted ledge,

Overlooking the city's core...

#### 1<sup>ST</sup> Chorus:

Putting the blame, on the bottoms that came, from injustice, Searching for the path to find the hidden key,

It all comes down to me...

2) Sometimes it seems like there's no freedom,
Surfing cyberspace for signs,
Desperate means planning to stay out of the slums,
Paychecks gone to fees and fines...

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Chorus:

Avoiding the facts, of my careless acts, turns out useless,

The paradox of where the answers lead,

It all comes down to me...

Patterns mock and make this rock a mystery,
Blended gifts of comforts from before,
Fed flames thrive, God knows I've got the energy,
Grant mastery to help uncover more...

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Chorus:

I can't stand still, ain't no big deal, it's just pointless, Decisions weave the insight to believe, that It all comes down to me...

### WHERE HAS MY LOVE GONE

Where has my love gone?

She's gone away,

Off to take a nice walk, warm or cold, she'll be OK.

Where has my heart gone?

It's gone with her,

Off to take a nice walk, warm or cold, it don't really care.

And all of us have our own ups and downs every day..

Ah, but it makes me sad to know how happy I could be,
Living here in my misery..

It's raining hard outside,

I can feel it on my head,

Distant memories, of all the things she said.

She told me she loved me,

She told me she cared,

She said she would never leave, she'd never go anywhere.

And all of us have our own ups and downs every day..

Ah, but it makes me cry to know how happy I could be,
Living here with my history..

(BRIDGE:)

She told me she loved me, She told me she cared, When she walked out the door, I just stood and stared...

(MUSICAL)

It's stopped raining outside,

Won't my heart please come home,

I can't stand this empty feeling of being all alone.

All my love is gone,

It's gone to her,

This life without her seems just like a blur.

# YOU ARE MY BABY

When I saw you, I fell in love, And through a beautiful rainbow, You're eyes, showed me you cared...

And then I held you, in my arms, And felt all the charms of a lady, Close ties, by the way you stared...

#### **CHORUS:**

You are my baby, You aren't just any other girl, So take you're life, and you're fantasies, And come on, live em' with me,

Oh, you mesmerize, and help me believe...

When we want to have some time, Taking a ride, or just gazing outside, Let's go away, where no one's around...

We'll be looking at the view, Whatever it is, I'll see better and better, **Our hearts will stay, in the good love we've found...** Oh, Baby... (*Instrumental*)

#### **CHORUS**

Oh, you hypnotize, with the smile that I see... Oh, Baby... (Instrumental)

## (50) 'YOU'RE AN ANGEL

CAs usual I came late to the meeting,
I found my way to an empty chair,
Busy writing, you paused and ran your fingers through your hair,

Then glancing up, you noticed I was there...

That night we met again and left together..

When I talked, out of the room you walked,

I figured you really didn't care,

You came back in, to my surprise, and wanted to apologize,

You're a girl,
You're an angel,
You're the one who makes my heart so bold...
You're a girl,

You're an angel, Because of love, you've turned my world to gold...

You look so beautiful in my eyes, soaking wet, dripping dry,
A cool romantic swim, while canoeing in the sunlight,
Board a ship and cruise away from here,
look back and watch the city disappear,
The forest waits for us on the other side..

A mountain ride, I'll let you drive, ya that should fix me,
We'll dine outside and hear a band jive songs from 1960,
Enjoy the moonlight till they're done,
Drive back on the highway singing one,
In our home town once again is as good as anywhere we could be...



