

# Darling

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Wait for me, darling  
Don't worry your mind  
I think of you all of the time  
A folded photograph has stolen your smile  
Follows my heart to stay dry

Tell my boy John to stop growing  
He'll be stronger than me come this spring  
If the edge of winter comes early  
He can handle the harvest, I think

Love, love is my tether  
Hold, holding you close  
And I'm sending my love with this letter  
And racing it all the way home

I'm faithful, my darling  
I'll never stray at all  
I see your eyes meet up with mine  
Those fish in the sea they don't worry me  
It's the darkness I fear in the deep

Tell my girls to keep on their singing  
Those hymns, I hear the lows and the highs  
I'm humming my way through the darkest of days  
Hoping to hear the sunrise

Love, love is a violence  
In my heart alone  
A chaos of madness  
A riot to follow your stone

Pray for me darling  
I'm scared for my soul  
Frightened I'll never see old  
The men that surround me  
Don't surround me no more  
Fallen in this greater man's war

So if you're gonna cry, then cry with the light on  
Because tears, they don't dry in the dark  
Know that the single tree ain't so lonely  
When its forest lies beneath the same stars