

# Burning Of The Midnight Lamp

**Jimi Hendrix**

The morning is dead and the day is too  
There's nothing left here to lead me, but the velvet moon  
All my loneliness I have felt today  
It's a little more than enough to make a man throw himself away  
And I continue to burn the Midnight Lamp, alone  
Now the smiling portrait of you  
is still hanging on my frowning wall  
It really doesn't, it really doesn't bother me too much at all  
It's just the eh ever falling dust that makes it so hard for me to see  
That forgotten earring laying on the floor  
Facing coldly towards the door  
And I continue to burn the Midnight Lamp, all alone  
Burn!  
Yeah, yeah  
Lonely, lonely, lonely  
Loneliness is such a drag!  
So here I sit to face that same old fireplace  
Getting ready for the same old explosion  
Going through my mind  
And soon enough the time will tell  
About the circus in the wishing well  
And someone who will buy and sell for me  
Someone who will toll my bell  
And I continue to burn the same old lamp, alone  
Yeah  
Darling, can you hear me calling you?  
So lonely  
Gotta blow my mind  
Yeah, yeah  
Lonely, lonely . . .

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