Only Love Is Real

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As I bask in the glow of a just-lit fire Feeling the warmth as the flames grows higher I think it's true that nothing is really new under the sun Watching a new love grow from old love's embers Yesterday's gone but today remembers Doesn't it seem to come down the same for everyoneOnly love is real, everything else illusion Adding to the confusion of the way we connive at being alive Tracing a line till we can define, the thing that allows us to feel Only love is real, only love is realChildhood dreams like muddy waters Flowing through me to my son and daughters Everything I ever thought is confirmed as truth to me Even as I see the way that I want to go now Still I wished I had known, what I know now Maybe I could have spared you giving your youth to meOnly love is real, everything else illusion Adding to the confusion of the way we can try to just stay alive Tracing a line till we can define, the thing that allows us to feel Only love is real, only love is real Only love is real, only love is real

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