

# Wasted Time (Album Version)

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Maybe it would be better if we never said goodbye  
Maybe I'd grow much older with you in my life  
Maybe we'd come out winners putting the world to right  
Maybe I should be sorry for wasting your time So who's right will take my side  
And call it spite or call it pride  
Call it love that never died  
Call it anything but wasted time? After the party's over, after the dream has died  
Some people keep returning to the scene of the crime  
Try to rewrite the story, tell you you never tried  
Tell you you should be sorry for wasting their time So who's right will take my side  
And call it spite or call it pride  
Call it love that never died  
Call it anything but wasted time? Maybe we could've done better, maybe, maybe not  
Maybe we could've made better use of time  
Maybe if anyone knew better how much time we've got  
They/It wouldn't be so hard to make the words up right So who's right will take my side  
And call it spite or call it pride  
Call it love that never died  
Call it anything but wasted time?

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