

# Damn Love Song

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How can I carve your name in the trunk of a tree  
That'll be here long after we're gone?  
I can't even write it in the steam on the mirror  
And with nobody listening, not even myself  
It's as much as I can do  
To whisper those words in your ear  
After all of these years, look at me here  
With a love song stuck in my throat  
Got the weight of the world on my shoulders  
I won't let it go  
How can I dive right down in the deep blue sea  
And still hope to find my way home?  
When I stumble on my way to the shore  
And when all of the airplanes, all of the cars  
And all the miles in the world  
Are sometimes not enough to quite reach your door  
After all of these years, will you look at me here  
With this love song stuck in my throat?  
Got the weight of the world  
And there's not too much else I can hold  
And what if my chances run out someday  
What if life's not my batting machine?  
What if it stops throwing pitches before I hit one clean?  
How can I lie beside you, night after night  
And pick at the lock on your heart when I never once opened my own?  
'Cause the last time it got free  
It just cut and run like a stray out in the street  
And it took just about all I had just to make it come home  
After all these years, is the time drawing near  
When a love song flies from my throat?  
Can I lay down the weight of the world by the side of the road  
Lay down the weight of the world and call myself home  
Lay down the weight of the world?

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