

# When My First Wife Left Me

**John Lee Hooker**

When my first wife left me, she left my heart in misery  
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Ever since that day, boy, I don't think I'll ever love again  
If I can get her back again, I'll never roam no more  
If I get her back again, boys, I'll never roam no more  
I had a good wife, but I did not treat her right  
It's my fault; only have myself to blame  
It's my fault, it's my fault, boys; I only have myself to blame  
She would have been home right now if I hadn't wanted every woman that I seen  
I found out one thing: these women don't mean you no good  
I found out one thing, people: these women don't mean you no good  
You mistreated a good girl for some woman that she'd turn around and turn her back on you  
Yes, yeah

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