

# Just a Wave

## Jimmie Dale Gilmore

Thirst is not the answer oceans come and go  
I loved her seven seas worth Lord I loved her so  
But she let me down so easy one slow drop at a time  
I would've killed myself but it made no sense  
Committed suicide in self defense But I lost everything I brought her  
When she said babe you're just a wave you're not the water Centuries ago we were living on the gold coast  
She was still in love with a long gone cold ghost  
I was only trying to turn back the tide of her tears  
I felt like an endless ocean rolling through the fog  
Full emotion drifting like a weather beaten log  
I even thought that I out-thought her  
Till she said babe you're just a wave you're not the water  
[ steel ]  
I said someday we'll love again then you'll know the score  
I've taught you everything I know and maybe even more  
That's true she said more than you ever will  
I said I've been your raging river precious African queen  
I've shown you everything that I've ever seen  
But she knew more than I had taught her  
When she said babe you're just a wave you're not the water  
[ ac.guitar ]  
Well I followed her far and wide with all of my will  
Water on the move you know it never stands still  
And I moved every muscle just to prove it can be done  
Then up some old sad river where snow white lilies float  
I came to her for mercy but I hardly rocked the boat  
She seemed surprised that I had caught her  
But she said babe you're just a wave you're not the water  
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