Love of My Life (An Ode to Hip-Hop)

Erykah Badu

Right here what we gon' do is go back

Way back

Way back, yeahI met him when I was a

Little girl, he gave me

He gave me poetry

And he was my firstBut in my heart I knew I

Wasn't the only one

Cause when the tables turned

He had to break upWhenever I got lonely

Or needed some advice

He gave me his shoulder

His words were very niceBut that is all behind me

Cause now there is no other

My love is his and his is mine

A friend became theLove of my life

You are my friend

Love of my life

I can depend

Love of my life

Without you, baby

It feels like a simple true loveHope this shit ain't clear

A freak-freak ya'll, and ya don't stop

To the beat ya'll and ya don't stop

A freak-freakOr could it be that it was

All just so simple then

A teenage lover who said

He's just a friendHe moved around and we kept

In touch through his friend Mike

The world was young and he knew

We couldn't rush butWhenever I got lonely

Or needed some advice

He gave me his shoulder

His words were very niceBut that is all behind me

Cause now there is no other

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You are my friend

Love of my life

A dude I can depend, yeah, yeah

Love of my life
Feels like a simple true love, yeahLove of my life
You are my friend
Love of my life
A dude I can depend, yeah, yeah
Love of my life

Feels like a simple true love, yeahHope this shit ain't clearY'all know how I met her

We broke up and got back together

To get her back I had to sweat her (sweat her)

Thought she roll wit bad boys forever

In many ways them boys made her better

To grow I had to let her (let her)

She needed cheddar and I understood that (that)

Lookin' for cheese that don't make her a hood rat (rat)

In fact she's a queen to me, her light beams on me

I love it when she sings to me

It's like that and aOoh you know you rock my world

And you be boy and I'll be girl

And we don't stop until the break of dawn

Ooh you know you rock my world

And you be boy and I'll be girl

And we don't stop until the break of oohhh

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