

# Goodbye Innocence

**Beverley Knight**

Goodbye innocence, you didn't stay too long  
You were her haven, her solace while she was young  
But Fate decreed that fear would form her personality  
And she would cry when daylight passed  
Knowing that the night would bring, Daddy  
Goodbye innocence, you made her happy  
Goodbye innocence, you saved her from pain  
But you weren't enough, to break the heavy fall  
Goodbye, goodbye innocence  
Now a woman, her character's 'unclean'  
Childhood haunts her, she's fighting the things unseen  
A slave to memory, relived as she sleeps  
And freedom like the prisoner  
Whose fate is sealed by hate, is a dream  
Goodbye innocence, you made her happy  
Goodbye innocence, you saved her from pain  
But you weren't enough, to break the heavy fall  
Goodbye, goodbye innocence  
If only she found a reason to trust somebody  
She would find a friend in me, o yes  
See, I can't take away the pain, that she endured no, no, no  
But I try to ease her misery  
Goodbye innocence, you made her happy  
Goodbye innocence, you saved her from pain  
But you weren't enough, to break the heavy fall  
Goodbye, goodbye innocence

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