

# Love to Be Loved

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So, you know how people are  
When it's all gone much too far  
The way their minds are made  
Still, there's something you should know  
That I could not let show  
That fear of letting go And in this moment, I need to be needed  
With this darkness all around me, I like to be liked  
In this emptiness and fear, I want to be wanted  
Cause I love to be loved  
I love to be loved [Repeat x2]  
Yes, I love to be loved I cry the way that babies cry  
The way they can't deny  
The way they feel  
Words, they climb all over you  
'Til they uncover you  
From where you hide And in this moment, I need to be needed  
When my self-esteem is sinking, I like to be liked  
In this emptiness and fear,  
I want to be wanted  
Cause I love to be loved  
I love to be loved [Repeat x2]  
Oh I love to be loved This old familiar craving  
I've been here before, this way of behaving  
Don't know who the hell I'm saving anymore  
Let it pass let it go let it leave  
From the deepest place I grieve  
This time I believe And I let go [Repeat x2]  
I can let go of it  
Though it takes all the strength in me  
And all the world can see  
I'm losing such a central part of me  
I can let go of it  
You know I mean it  
You know that I mean it  
I recognize how much I've lost  
But I cannot face the cost  
Cause I love to be loved Yes I love to be loved  
I love to be loved  
[Repeat x3] I love to be loved I love to be loved

Yes I love to be loved

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