## Johnson's Love (Acoustic Version)

## **Dwight Yoakam**

She had left him lost and broken like no other had before

Now his heart was just a token of the pain it had endured

And his memories were clouded with all the hurtful things she'd said

Yes, for all intent and purpose he might just as well been deadAnd some people claim they still hear him call her name

"Hey, hey, Maureen", swear they hear it just that plain Deep in the night, oh, and sometimes right at dawn See, his body died some years ago but around here

Mr. Johnson's love lives onHe seemed far away and distant with that cold and silent stare Never moving, never speaking and just barely breathing air

No one really knew her reason and who can judge her right or wrong

The only true and solemn fact is the man we'd known was all but goneAnd some people claim they still hear him call her name

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Mr. Johnson's love lives on Sissy Thompson said she'd seen him late that night on Shelby road About a mile from there they found him, it seems he'd died out in the snow

I hear'd the preacher at the service say, "From love he's finally free"

But I say love, it knows no season, it haunts the soul eternallyAnd some people claim they still hear him call her name

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