

# No Longer What You Require

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We had it all, we were young lovers  
We were full of trust and faith  
We were dead set on making it last forever, forever and a day I recall it was fall last year when it started to die  
Standing still as the temperature kills  
The summer's thrills that were keeping it alive The days got colder so I held you closer  
In an effort to save us from time  
Almost like a wind came and ruined a spark and left us in the dark But hey, I could've told you that I loved you  
And stayed around to kindle the fire  
But I was late on my return and now you've lost all faith  
And I am the liar, I'm no longer what you require I still feel you at night  
Turning in the sheets when I turn out the light  
That's how it goes, the ghost of your first love  
Won't ever leave you till the day that you die I won't ever live down leaving her behind  
Even if the choice was the right one  
It was a good thing staring me right in the face  
But I turned and ran away Hey, I could've told you that I loved you  
And stayed around to kindle the fire  
But I was late on my return and now you've lost all faith  
And I am the liar, I'm no longer what you require Back then the days were so much faster  
We were young, stubborn and in love with disaster You know you can't go back even if you try  
You better just forget her, won't you close the door on me?  
'Cause it'll never be the same, it'll never be the way it was before Well hey, I could've told you that I loved you  
And stayed around to kindle the fire  
But I was late on my return and so you've lost all faith  
And I am the liar Oh hey, I would've told you that I loved you  
And stayed around to kindle the fire  
But I was late on my return and now you've lost all faith in the dying light  
I'm no longer what you require  
I'm no longer what you require, no longer

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