

# No Son of Mine

## Genesis

Well the key to my survival  
Was never in much doubt  
The question was how I could keep sane?  
Trying to find a way out Things were never easy for me  
Peace of mind was hard to find  
And I needed a place where I could hide  
Somewhere I could call mine I didn't think much about it  
Till it started happening all the time  
Soon I was living with the fear everyday  
Of what might happen that night? I couldn't stand to hear the crying of my mother  
And I remember when I swore that  
That would be the last they'd see of me  
And I never went home again They say that time is a healer  
And now my wounds are not the same  
I rang a bell with my heart in my mouth  
I had to hear what he'd say He sat me down to talk to me  
He looked me straight in the eyes  
He said, "You're no son, you're no son of mine  
You're no son, you're no son of mine  
You walked out, you left us behind  
And you're no son, you're no son of mine" Oh, his words how they hurt me, I'll never forget it  
And as the time it went by, I lived to regret it  
You're no son, you're no son of mine  
But where should I go? And what should I do?  
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But I came here for help, oh I came here for you Well the years they passed so slowly  
I thought about him everyday  
What would I do if we passed on the street  
Would I keep running away? In and out of hiding places  
Soon I'd have to face the facts  
We'd have to sit down and talk it over  
And that would mean going back They say that time is a healer  
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You're no son, ha yeah, ha yeah, ha yeah

You're no son, you're no son of mine, oh, oh

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