

# Thirteen Valleys

## Big Country

Thirteen valleys he has wandered for her love  
For he thinks he is the one that she dreams of  
But her bed was made elsewhere  
From the first day she got there  
Now he wanders thirteen valleys crying out  
Now he wanders thirteen valleys crying out "It could've been me  
I said it could've been me"  
A broken heart needs someone new to blame it on  
A broken heart needs someone new to blame it on Thirteen valleys she has gone since morning came  
For she gave so much that only love remained  
But her lover is long gone  
With the money she sent home  
Now she wanders thirteen valleys crying out  
Now she wanders thirteen valleys crying out "It could've been me  
I said it could've been me"  
A broken heart needs someone new to blame it on  
A broken heart needs someone new to blame it on That broken heart will be forever and a lifetime  
That broken heart will dry up love that's gone before  
And you may fight and you may run  
But what was past is now undone  
A broken heart needs someone new to blame it on  
A broken heart needs someone new to blame it on Thirteen valleys lie in silence in the haze  
Filled with promises and spirits that we raised  
But the spirits all are ghosts  
Of the ones we hurt the most  
And they wander thirteen valleys crying out  
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