

Hold Me Back

Wot Gorilla?

Put my feet in concrete
Tie my hands behind me
'Cause I can feel the pull
Of the man I was before
Put your blinders on me
Wrap your arms around me
'Cause I'm afraid that
I might run right out that door
If you don't hold me back
 Hold me back
 'Cause it's just like me
To run from the one who loves me
 Father please, hold me back
 Be the strength I lack
 'Cause it's just like me
To run from the one that I need
 Take the wind from my sail
Throw the anchor over my rails
'Cause I know I'm not always
 The quickest to concede
 When it's best that I fail
 Don't let my will prevail
 'Cause my salvation
 Is my magnificent defeat
 I need you to hold me back

 Because I was never able
 To save myself in the first place
So why would I think I could do it now
 Left to my inventions
 And the best of my intentions
We know I'd only destroy myself
 If you don't hold me back
 Hold me back
 'Cause it's just like me
To run from the one who loves me
 Father please, hold me back
 Be the strength I lack
 'Cause it's just like me to run

But you hold me back
You hold me back
'Cause it's just like you
To run to the one who needs you
You hold me back
Hold me back
It's just like you
To love me better than I do
Prone to wander, Lord I feel it
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it
Seal it for Your courts above

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