## Can't Take Love For Granted

## **Mary Chapin Carpenter**

When I spoke what was on my mind
I wasn't thinking of your heart
I wasn't thinking when I said those things
That landed us so far apartHow my world is ending
With a chance remark

You can't take love for grantedAnd you look at me with your wounded eyes

And I look back with fear

There used to be such faith between us

Now its just not hereAnd the door was slammed hours ago

But its still ringing in my ears

You can't take love for grantedIt was a funny way to show, I love you

Funny way to care

It's a funny thing to be without you
As empty as your stareYou can't take love for granted
It's got its own free will

It's got a mind of its own when it wants one
And looks that can killOne day you're in Heaven, darlin'
The next you feel like hell

You can't take love for grantedYou can speak what's on your mind

If you've got a gamblers heart

You can be the truth incarnate

You can shoot straight in the darkYou can pull the moon down, baby
With a lasso made of stars
But you can't take love for granted, no
You can't take love for granted, no

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