

# Nothin'

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Hey, Mama, when you leave  
Don't leave a thing behind  
I don't want nothing  
I can't use nothing Take care into the hall  
And if you see my friends  
Tell 'em I'm fine  
Not using nothing Almost burned out my eyes  
Threw my ears down to the floor  
I didn't see nothing  
I didn't hear nothing Stood there like a block of stone  
Knowing all I had to know  
And nothing more  
But, man, that's nothing As brothers our troubles are  
Locked in each others arms  
And you better pray  
That they never find you Cause your back ain't strong enough  
For burdens double fold  
They'd crush you down  
Down into nothing Being born is going blind  
And bowing down a thousand times  
To echoes strung  
On pure temptation Sorrow and solitude  
These are the precious things  
And the only words  
That are worth remembering

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