

# Answering Machine

**Matt Nathanson**

I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
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I met a new one and she looks just like you  
She gives me everything that you didn't want to  
Maybe I don't need saving after all  
She sticks in my ribs  
Almost better than you did  
Maybe I'm tired or maybe she glows  
I wonder if you're still defending  
I wonder if you're still defending  
'Cause I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
( 'Cause you've been so wrong for so long now)  
I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
I met someone with your eyes and your skin  
I can convince her of anything  
And baby, it's so delicious you should  
Come here and see for yourself  
" 'Cause I'm gone", you said  
If this is all there is  
And you'll never shine alone  
I wonder if you're still defending  
And I wonder if you're still defending  
'Cause I can fall alone if all  
  
If I can fall away  
( 'Cause you've been so wrong for so long now)  
I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
And your new anthems that you breathe  
And I've got you on my answering machine  
'Cause I've kissed others lips  
And they promised to heal me  
And it's easy if you try, just try  
And I wonder if you're still defending  
I wonder love, I wonder

'Cause I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
( 'Cause you've been so wrong for so long now)  
I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
( 'Cause you've been so wrong for so long now)  
I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away  
(So long, so long)  
And your new anthems that you breathe  
And I've got you on my answering machine  
I got your anthems and I can hardly breathe  
And I've got you on my answering machine, machine  
'Cause I can fall alone if all  
If I can fall away

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