

# In the Heat of the Night

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He promises you things'll be different  
If you just give him one more try  
Want so bad to believe  
Though you know it's just another lie  
Wants to know if he can come over  
And that he's sorry 'bout the other night  
Though your mind says no  
Your heart tells him it's alright  
Deep in the night  
Promises you love forever  
Don't you know better, girl  
Than to believe a man  
In the heat of the night (Heat of the night)  
There's nothin' but promises (Heat of the night)  
Heat of the night (Heat of the night)  
Be careful, baby (Heat of the night), whoa  
He starts with touching you all over  
Whispering sweet nothings in your ear  
Though you know it's jive  
At the time it's what you want to hear  
I am intelligent enough to know better  
But you just for a moment get weak  
As nature takes control  
And you start to feel the heat, oh, hoo, hoo  
Then the next day you're wondering why  
"Why me, oh, why me"  
You got caught, baby  
With your defenses down  
In the heat of the night (Heat of the night)  
Nothin' but lies (Heat of the night)  
Heat of the night (Heat of the night), whoa  
Heat of the night, baby (Heat of the night), whoa  
His passion made you think  
He loved only you  
When he slipped and cried out another woman's name  
You shoulda knew  
You'll never see the truth  
Till he's through (He's just been usin' you)  
You should have known better, girl  
Than to believe a man  
In the heat of the night, baby (Heat of the night)  
There's nothin' but promises (Heat of the night)  
Heat of the night (Heat of the night)  
Baby, why must you get burned to learn (Heat of the night)  
In the heat of the night (Heat of the night)  
There's nothin' but promises (Heat of the night)  
You shoulda known better, girl (Heat of the night)  
Than to believe a man in the heat of the night (Heat of the night), whoa  
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