

# Honesty

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If you search for tenderness  
It isn't hard to find  
You can have the love you need to live  
But if you look for truthfulness  
You might just as well be blind  
It always seems to be so hard to give

[Chorus]  
Honesty  
Is such a lonely word  
Everyone is so untrue  
Honesty  
Is hardly ever heard  
And mostly what I need from you

I can always find someone to say they sympathize  
If I wear my heart out on my sleeve  
But I don't want some pretty face to tell me pretty lies  
All I want is someone to believe

[Chorus]  
  
I can find a lover, I can find a friend  
I can have security until the bitter end  
Anyone can comfort me with promises again  
I know, I know

When I'm deep inside of me, don't be too concerned  
I won't ask for nothin' while I'm gone  
But when I want sincerity, tell me, where else can I turn?  
When you're the one that I depend upon

[Chorus]  
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