

**LYRICS** 

RARE SONGS

# On the Loose (first version)

Running out on the streets
I live from day to day
I'm looking for something to do
Sometimes I need to get away

I'm hoping that maybe some day I could be someone I'm praying that maybe one day I could be number one

I know there's something here for me 'Cause I always tend to be

On the loose So young, so tough, so wild On the loose again

Dreaming, dreaming about All the things I'd like to do Trying, yes, I'm trying so hard I want to make it all up to you

## **Broken Dreams**

Wherever I decide to go
Whatever I decide to do
There's one thing you ought to know
I always miss you so

You had me in the palm of your hand But I fell through like a grain of sand But you remain inside my heart Wherever I may go

Broken dreams Leave you standing so sad Broken dreams They can hurt you so bad

But what can I say
Am I to blame
And if I did stay
It wouldn't be the same

I'm sorry that it turned out wrong My feelings were not quite that strong I wish you all happiness Wherever you belong

There isn't much left to explain
But let me tell you it was not in vain
Those moments, they weren't meant
To cause you any pain

# Give a Helpin' Hand

There's a girl with a little child To them the world's so wild, so wild And now the future has turned out So insecure, insecure

There's a boy and he's wondering why He rides alone under the clear blue sky Oh, he's been standing there for days Just wondering why, oh, wondering why

Together we can change the world Together we must try Together we can save the world And help us all survive And give a helping hand A helping hand

There's a dream and we spread the word That we all can save this world There's a sun that will shine for all of us All our lives, yeah

Together we can change the world Together we must try Together we can save the world And help us all survive And give a helping hand A helping hand

Oh, let's all give a helping hand

#### Carrie (demo)

When lights go down
I see no reason for you to cry
We've been through this before

In every time, in every season It's always there You need it more and more

Carrie, Carrie, maybe we'll meet again Carrie, Carrie, maybe we'll meet Again

When darkness falls
I see no reason for you to cry
We've been through this before

In every time, in every season It's always there You need it more and more

Carrie, Carrie, maybe we'll meet again Carrie, Carrie, maybe we'll meet Again

We'll meet again

# **Heart of Stone (demo)**

Don't push it now like you did before Don't you come back, don't come back no more 'Cause you've been out far too many times now

And even though you're mistreating me
I know the girl that you used to be
But you've been out far too many times now

Time after time, I'm wondering why Am I to be all alone And day after day, I pray that you'll stay 'Cause you've got a heart of stone

Just like a beast you come back for more And I'm a fool, now she'll lock my door And even though you're still the one I wait for

I told you once, but I tell you twice

Yes, things you like, now she'll close your eyes And I'm afraid that one day you'll be sorry

# **Can't You Stay**

Tell me why your body's trembling When I call out your name Tell me why your hand is shaking, girl When I tell you it's the same

When the moon decides to leave the Earth Flown out in the cold I tell you now like I did before Our love will be so old

Singing, hey, can't you stay You don't have to go away 'Cause maybe you don't mean those things That you sometimes say

Singing, hey, can't you stay You don't have to go away 'Cause your heart remains here anyway

Like a fire that's been burned down You can feel your heart is lost Like a soldier who's been wounded So many bridges slips to cross

In your mind you think it's over But it could never last But I tell you what I feel right now Too many years have passed

Singing, hey, can't you stay You don't have to go away 'Cause maybe you don't mean those things That you sometimes say

Something I want to know Tell me, tell me Hey girl, why don't you tell me Your body's shaking all over Tell me why you're trembling You gotta tell me, girl Don't ever leave me

# **On Broken Wings**

Little Jeanie cried She believed in all his lies So much for being good

Johnny did not rest He did what he thought was best He did the best he could

Don't try to see the world in different ways Those moments and all those days Don't let them fade away

On broken wings I guess that's how you'll have to fly Two broken hearts across the sky

Now he's feeling bad His heart is cold He's oh, so sad Somehow he did her wrong

Little Jeanie's heart Is mending fast Oh, so fast Now she feels so strong

# **Here Comes the Night**

Listen up
There's something you gotta know

Here comes the night It's gonna be a long and lonely night Oh Lord, I pray it's gonna be alright This long and lonely night

As I walk on down this dusty road My heart weighs down like a heavy load My spirit finds its way across the ocean And my soul cries out for leaving now I've got to get back home somehow
She stole my heart, oh, how my spirit cried
'Cause I had to leave and it broke me up inside

Here comes the night It's gonna be a long and lonely night Well, I see tomorrow in a different light This long and lonely night

I've got a weary head and worn out shoes
A bottle of rum and as I sing the blues
The bitter wind sends shivers down my spine

I've gone a rambling man with a rambling mind I left my loved one far behind
She stole my heart, oh, how my spirit cried
'Cause I had to leave and it broke me up inside

Here comes the night It's gonna be a long and lonely night Oh Lord, I pray it's gonna be alright This long and lonely night

Oh, bless my soul, what have I done I'm bound to face this world alone A drifter I was meant to be With no one there for company

But if one day, down the road I came Would you look my way Would you take me back again

Here comes the night It's gonna be a long and lonely night Well, I see tomorrow in a different light This long and lonely night

As my soul cries out for leaving

### Blame It on Me

I paint a picture, a picture in my head We had everything All those good times that we had There was a time in our lives When everything was right We had love

But there's nothing sacred, sacred any more That's why I need your loving Just like I did before There was a time in our lives When everything was right We had love

So by the light of the morning I'm gonna make my way Not a word, not a warning To steal your heart away

Yes, by the light of the morning That's where I'll be Oh darling, darling, darling Just blame it on me Blame it on me

I've been searching
Time and time again
Since I lost your loving
It's never been the same
There was a time in our lives
When everything was right
We had love

#### **Break Free**

Well, it's been another doggone day I'm ready for this trashed out town I'll be doing all those crazy things That make the other heads spin around

They're tellin' me the ride ain't worth the fall Oh, but stop me if you can, I want it all

'Cause I'm ready, yes, I'm ready To break free, ready to break free

I'm tired of just killing time Talkin' 'bout the days gone by So I'm takin' on the world tonight I'm out to let my spirit fly Oh, they say what goes around will come around But there's nothin' in this world to hold me down

# **Long Time Comin'**

We're gonna rock so hard, we're gonna let it go If you want it loud, hey, let me know It's been a while since we've been gone We had it tough, now the hurt is gone

Well, when the day is done, when the day is through Listen close, this is what we'll do Comin' down like a ton of lead Like a ton of lead, that's what I said

It's been a long time comin'

Hey, you can tear us up, tear us down
Before too long we'll be back around
Fallin' in, fallin' out
Well, this time around there ain't no doubt

We'll walk on through the break of day Once again we'll be on our way Ain't no time to wonder why Just try to keep the drive alive

### **Sweet Love Child**

Sweet love child

She stands in the doorway
In the pale moonshine
When she looks at me, every part of me
Brings my soul back to life

With eyes like a rainbow They cut right through Oh, I'm lost in time All through my mind I'm in love, what can I do

Sweet love child

I shiver, I shiver and shake It's been a long, long time When she touches me, every part of me Just comes back alive

She rides like the wind
On a summer's night
And she gives and takes
In the love she makes
She makes everything so right

My sweet love child

By the light of the morning
Like an angel's sigh
I can feel her breath
Lying next to me
With the world locked outside

I can feel
A taste so sweet
And she gives me love
All the precious love
It makes my life so complete

Sweet love child

So sweet

#### **Wanted Man**

So we'll meet again, this old loneliness, my friend Who would ever guess it would come to this, my friend Like a sojourner, you know my heart is torn, my love I will rise again as I ride alone, I know

So baby, do you understand That my world has come undone Don't you know it hurts so bad When there's nowhere you belong

When you're wanted A wanted man

If the winds would change, would it ease my pain, oh Lord Will I ride on through with your guidance from above

As I turn around, I see tracks of wasted years Will I find my peace, will I lose this world of fear

# **Yesterday's News**

Hey, hey Mmmm, I got somethin' to tell ya' Got a story 'bout it

I'm catching a fast train, soon I'll be long, long gone
And I shoot through the night like a bullet from a loaded gun

They've been tryin' to use me, lie and abuse me They've been tryin' to break me, no one can take me No way

Now I'm way down I'm so down I'm readin' yesterday's news

I woke up this morning, leavin' on my mind And I said to myself, I ain't gonna waste more time

I need someone to save me, love and embrace me They've been tryin' to get me, trying to set me up Bad luck

Now I'm way down I'm so down I'm readin' yesterday's news

But I got time on my hands, I know what I'll do
One day, babe, I know I'll come through
'Cause I know in my heart, there are things to be said
For the pain that I suffer, and the price that I pay

### **Stranded**

One thing I remember
I was running for the door
And then I felt an anger
Like never before

I guess you had your reasons For making up your lies But when I saw you lay You had tears in your eyes Hey, hey, I'm gonna make it alright now Hey, hey, hey, I'm gonna take it all the way

Stranded, stranded
Though you left me standing there alone
Stranded, stranded
I always will believe that life goes on

The next thing I remember
I pretended I was strong
I asked you to surrender
But the words came out wrong

Though I feel mistreated Wounded deep within I'll never stand defeated No, I'll never give in

Hey, hey, I'm gonna make it alright now Hey, hey, hey, I'm gonna take it all the way

Stranded, stranded
Though you left me standing there alone
Stranded, stranded
I always will believe that life goes on

Nothing can stop me now

#### **Rainbow Warrior**

Lock the door, dim the light Here's a tale for you tonight Let me take you away

Well, take my hand and follow me Mother Mary's child to be I've got something to say

Rainbow warrior, shine on Rainbow warrior Sign your will across the sky Follow me 'til the day you die

One for all and all for one Walking through the gates of dawn

We've been waiting so long

Children sang from near and far Come and see the newborn star See it shining so strong

### Wild Child

Wild child, yeah

I said, you, what's with that talk You're just a punk with an attitude So take a walk, boy

I said, you, get outta my face You need a handful of dollars Just to get into this place

Wild child, get it on now Wild child, get it on tonight

I said, You, you're not from this town We've got an old crowd here tonight So don't stick around, boy

I said, You, you ain't got no style Well, I say, you're unemployed And it shines through all the way

#### Don't Know How to Love No More

I need you here tonight Your body next to mine I haven't seen you for a while

I need your tender kiss
The touch of your fingertips
I haven't seen you for some time now

I need to touch you like I used to do before Though I have touched you, girl A million times or more

I don't know how to love no more I don't know what I'm waiting for

Take it to your heart, my friend And teach me how to love again

I don't know how to cry no more So tell me what I'm living for Take it to your heart, my friend And teach me how to love again Yeah, teach me

I need you here tonight
To squeeze and hold you tight
And feel your skin so close to mine

I wonder where you are So near but yet so far Your name is always on my mind

# Talk to Me (demo)

September rain is falling
I see you in the street, just passing by
And though your lips are smiling
I can see the coldness in your eyes

So hell is what you've been through But you just can't give in without a fight So break the chains that bind you Don't turn away

You had to have it your way
From you that was a promise and a threat
But welcome to the real world
What you give is what you get

But one day when it's over You think that everything's been said and done With the world upon your shoulders Don't turn away, hear what I say

Talk to me, when it cuts like a knife
Talk to me, when you fight for your life
Who do you think you're fooling
Not me

You act so high and mighty
Still you need to pick yourself up off the ground

When you hunger for the big time Just remember who you are Where you came from

So pray to God for mercy You don't wanna kiss your life goodbye It takes a man to face it Don't turn away, hear what I say

#### Mr. Government Man

Hey, hey, Mr. Government Man,
I'm just a poor boy doin' the best that I can
I've been stepped upon and pushed around, yes, I have
You can tie me up, but never tie me down

Well, I was drivin' around, tryin' to find a place To get a beer and some cigarettes Pullin' up behind me, not afraid to flirt There's a girl in a red Corvette

I saw in her face that she wanted to race So I let my car out of jail Man, I blew it, before I knew it The Feds were on my tail

I knew it were trouble, but didn't wanna stop I couldn't forget that girl My dashboard slick from alcohol And my head still in a whirl

Just a country boy in the city lights Tryin' to have some fun But the Man behind me didn't wanna play He pulled out a gun

Hey, hey, Mr. Government Man, I'm just a poor boy doin' the best that I can I've been stepped upon and pushed around, yes, I have You can tie me up, but never tie me down

Well, I had it comin', I hit the wall
And my car went up in flames
My head got hammered, thrown in the slammer
No one but me to blame

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That's my story, ain't much glory
But I know I paid my dues
One thing I know in my heart and soul
I ain't never gonna lose

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They say I might be goin' crazy Hey, what else can I do Hey, my, my

Hey, hey, Mr. Government Man, I'm just a poor boy doin' the best that I can I've been stepped upon and pushed around, yes, I have You can tie me up, but never tie me down

Hey, hey, Mr. Government Man Don't you push me around no more