

# Loving You's a Dirty Job (But Somebody's Gotta Do It)

Meat Loaf

When the sky is falling and you're looking 'round for somewhere to hide  
Did you ever call out to someone?  
Did you ever call out to me?  
I've never been gone  
I've been right here by your side  
There ain't nothin' but clouds  
There ain't nothin' but clouds in your eyes

Why don't you believe it when you finally found the truth?  
You've been drinking poison water from the fountain of youth  
Why don't you stop tearing up everyone you need the most?  
You're so busy trying to get even  
You never even try to get close

I can't explain it away  
Doesn't make any sense  
To know what it's like  
I guess you gotta go through it  
Guess you gotta go through it  
Guess you gotta go through it  
It doesn't matter baby  
Loving you's a dirty job  
(loving you, loving you's a dirty job)  
But somebody's gotta do it

There were times when we'd never fake it  
There were times we would always make it  
There were times we would take it to the limit  
And we'd never, ever, ever leave each other alone  
We were flesh and blood and bone  
There were times we had it all  
There were times we had it all

There were times when we took our chances  
There were times we were damn good dancers  
There were times when we heard all the answers  
In the bleeding of the drummer and the riches of the rock and the roll  
I can see right through your soul  
There were times we had it all  
There were times we had it all

If your fears could only be forgotten  
We could pull all the barriers down  
Would you follow your dreams' desire?  
Would you follow your secret dreams and forbidden fire?  
Let's peel out of this town  
It's been nothing but dreams  
It's been nothing but dreams until now

You're never gonna see it  
You got your head stuck in the sand  
It's the land of the free and easy street  
It's the home of the damned  
Oh, you're never gonna see it  
You better open up your eyes  
You're the only one who's left—  
Who's gonna believe all your lies?

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It doesn't make any sense  
To know what it's like  
I guess you gotta go through it  
You gotta go through it  
You gotta go  
It doesn't matter baby  
Loving you's a dirty job  
(loving you, loving you's a dirty job)  
But somebody's gotta do it

There were times when our bodies glistened  
There were times that we can't stop missing  
There were times when we'd lay in bed and listen  
To the pounding, pounding chorus of our desperate hearts  
Nothing could have torn us apart  
There were times we had it all  
There were times we had it all ...

There were times when we fought like tigers  
There were times we were damn good liars

There were times when we took our chances  
There were times we were damn good dancers

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There were times when we fought like tigers  
There were times we were damn good liars  
There were times we'd extinguish every fire  
That was burning, burning, burning, up each other alive

From the heavens on down to the dives  
There were times we lost it all  
There were times we lost it all

There were times when our bodies glistened  
There were times that we can't stop missing  
There were times that we'd lay in bed and listen  
To the pounding, pounding chorus of our desperate hearts  
Nothing could have torn us apart  
There were times we had it all  
There were times we lost it all ...