

## Shine a Light in the Dark

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I've been lost before and I had to pay  
It was never easy but I found a way  
Well the journey was hard and the road was tough  
There were times when I cried lord I've had enough  
Please don't desert me now  
Don't you leave me stranded now I need a friend  
Please don't desert me now  
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Shine a light in the dark  
Hold me back when I get reckless  
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I've been down and out and I've been fit to drop  
But the thought of you wouldn't let me stop  
Now a man should stand upon his own two feet  
Because the taste of failure is a bitter sweet  
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I can hear the reaper calling in the wind  
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Where were you when the chips were down  
I fell apart when I hit the town  
Where were you when I couldn't get arrested  
Where were you when the lights went out  
I blew a fuse, did you hear me shout  
Where on earth do I look for heavens sake

There's a brotherhood that I want to see  
Gotta take my share of equality  
There's no harmony in a one man band  
Even god almighty needs a helping hand  
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There's no time and I can't fight another day  
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