

# I Can't Be Loved

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I've been thinking 'bout you, my baby  
And I wonder where you are tonight  
I'm tryin' to live without you, it's crazy  
'Cause no one else can light my fire

More than a few  
Have been willing to do just what I wanted  
But as hard as they try  
It just ain't right, oh baby

I can't be loved  
By anyone but you, oh baby, baby  
It's not enough  
There ain't no substitute for you

I can't be loved  
By anyone but you  
I just can't live without your love

My emotions, baby, are showing  
No one seems to understand  
This commotion, darlin', keeps growing  
I'm afraid it's getting out of hand

Putting aside  
All the pain and the pride  
And I still want you  
But I need you tonight, certainly

I can't be loved  
By anyone but you, oh pretty baby  
It's not enough  
There ain't no substitute for you, oh baby

I can't be loved  
Anyone but you  
Ain't no substitute for you  
It's not enough  
No one else will do

It ain't no lie  
There ain't no substitute for you

I can't be loved  
Can't be loved

Can't be loved  
There ain't no chance for new romance  
Can't be loved  
It ain't, just ain't love with someone else  
It just ain't

Putting aside  
All the pain and the pride  
And I still want you  
And I need you tonight

I can't be loved  
By nobody else but you  
I can't be loved  
No one but you  
There ain't no substitute for you, baby  
'Cos I love you boy

I can't be loved  
By nobody, nobody, nobody else but you  
It's not enough  
Can't be loved, it can't be loved, can't be loved

I can't be loved  
It's not enough  
I can't be loved  
It's not enough  
I can't be loved