

# Everlasting Love

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I had a welcome mat  
But you never came around  
I left my light on  
But you were nowhere to be found  
I thought an afterthought  
That maybe I was forgotten  
You never asked me for my name  
But I wasn't even in the book

Seems like a love that tried  
Somehow was on our side  
We fell in love so deeply  
An everlasting kind of love

And love was on our side  
There was no place to hide  
It seemed to mean so much  
An everlasting kind of love

Years ago I was at your door  
Asking you for directions  
You said you loved another  
And I wasn't even mentioned  
As I played piano  
I'd get this eerie feeling  
You were never really there  
I guess I must be dreaming

Seems how I really tried  
But our love was denied  
Somehow it was a lie  
An everlasting kind of love

Then you took me for a ride  
I was so hurt inside  
You smiled and then you cried  
An everlasting kind of love

Mom and Dad said I sure was lost  
Since all the time make-believin'  
Just what is the difference -  
In my heart I'm always there  
Huggin' you in the art room  
You said you had to go  
I took it out on a shopping cart  
Screamin' in my mind it isn't so

Guess that's the way it goes  
You seemed to love I suppose  
But I was at the end of my rope  
An everlasting kind of love

I can't tell you how I loved  
The shining stars above  
With no ill thoughts about ya  
An everlasting kind of love

I took a walk  
I was so in love  
But I had nowhere to go  
Everywhere I looked - I swear - I saw you in every  
window  
Til I died inside from being all alone  
Your love carried me on  
I just kept on dreaming of your love

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Somehow was on our side  
What could we have done to save  
An everlasting kind of love

And love was on our side  
It seemed to mean so much  
Couldn't - couldn't - Lost touch  
An everlasting kind of love

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Oh yeah  
Oh no  
Oh no  
No, no, no