

## Harmless Love

Ferron

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if you think about tenderness  
what's the matter with harmless love

i take a little walk outside  
in a town that brings me  
pears and peaches  
i'm busting with love inside  
and it's always more than it ever teaches  
on the curb i pass a friend of mine  
we seem a little older maybe a little wiser  
we laugh about the shades of time  
and marvel at love, the great skyrider

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(harmless)  
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(dream)  
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you play it cool and then you love someone  
you try to fight it but kind love knows  
you tell yourself you're in it just for fun  
but ain't it funny how good love shows  
you know how to tell a joke in troubled times  
pass the sugar on a cold dark night  
spend a nickel just to save that dime  
toward a winter that will bite just right

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light a candle for softness  
light a candle for friends til they come thru  
light a candle for warm, kind love  
light a candle for me and you  
'cause there's a reason we've come here  
are we holding back or are we willing for a connection  
while knowing what we hold most dear

must eventually surrender to it's own direction

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