

# You Need Love Like I Do

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Well, well, well, well  
Seems like it was only yesterday  
When my mama told me don't fall in love  
With the first guy that comes your way  
He was handsome and nice  
But I took her advice and passed him by  
Years have passed and don't look  
Like love's gonna give me a second try  
Boy the look on your face tells me you understand  
could it be your love life's like mine  
Needs a helping hand well, well  
You need love like I do (don't you).

Boy I can tell by the way  
You look when I'm looking at you  
I know it ain't fit and proper  
for a girl to talk this way  
But I can't cope with this loneliness  
Not one more doggone day  
Everyday has been an uphill climb  
Keeping my hopes a-float  
Judging from your silence boy  
You must be in the same boat  
ain't it true now  
You need love like I do (don't you)  
Boy I can tell by the way you look  
When I'm looking at you

Well, well, well you need love  
Like I do (don't you)

Boy it seems like I'm looking in the mirror  
When I'm looking at you  
I can't begin to tell  
The many nights I sit home lonely  
Come on and tell me boy  
Has it ever happened to you  
Boy I'm gonna tell you something  
And believe me it ain't no joke  
My love life is just like a sinking boat  
I can understand a person being without money  
But there sho' ain't no reason  
For a person to be without love  
Listen to me now  
I'm a girl and you're a guy  
So come on let's give love a try  
Tell me lil' boy  
You need love like I do (don't you)  
I can tell by the way you look  
When I'm looking at you  
Boy finding true love is a dream  
That everyone wants to come true  
Boy can't you see it's up to us  
To make this dream come true oh.