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Would you really come and live with me We can watch TV when the nights are cold And it's hard to sleep When I'm hungry, when I'm old When I'm angry, when I'm cold Honey, I don't know

Would you really come and take my cares away Set me down in an easy chair and stay a while Child, that's a righteous thing you do To make somebody just this happy Like you done me to

I can see the years go down You and me, we'll paint the town Lord, if my mama and my papa could see me now

I'm great at building castles in the air And living there for days - you'd be amazed I live in dreams and when I can I go to sleep and there I am and there you are

When I'm hungry for the taste Of loving you and your embrace It's hard to wait 'Cause I've been waiting here so long a time But if you say it's right, honey, I don't mind

We got all the years ahead Time for everything we said Lord, if my mama and my papa could see me now

I'd be happy living in a shack With all the plumbing in the back But you might not, you know So maybe we better have a home

I'd be glad on a farm with a million dogs Or a cave with bats But you wouldn't like that Maybe we gotta have a home

Will you really come and live with me I'd be so proud In loving you, I'm loving me I make it funny and I make you laugh 'Cause it makes it easy getting past All the being scared

I can see the years go down You and me, we'll paint the town Lord if my mama and my papa could see me now Oh lord, if my mama and my papa could see me now