

## If I'd Loved You Then

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Well, I'm not the kind of man who sits and complains  
I've always been the kind of man who likes to take a chance  
I have lived my life to the fullest, I have no regrets  
Most of the time I feel I've had the best of it

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You look back and see what you believe just might be wrong  
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Well, I would never take back my wild oats for anything  
But I was ready the day we exchanged our wedding rings  
I had done all I could do alone, oh, I needed you  
And I've found out true love brings out the best in you

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And every day I think it can't get better than this  
But love is always changing as we learn to give  
I love you more than ever before and it just dawned on me  
The longer I love you the more that you will mean to me

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