When you walked out of my life I didn't think that I'd survive Hope was growing dimmer day by day

But much to my surprise Lord I made it out alive An' my world is looking anything but grey

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A little black and blue
From the wear and tear
But love got the best of me
An' I turn green with jealousy
When you made it crystal clear you did not care

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My eyes are red from cryin' the whole night through
I should win the Purple Heart
'Cause you tore mine all apart
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After losin' you

Yes I've got a yell'er streak
'Cause I know your places weak
An' I still get pale whenever you're in sight

I may shade out of my mind
Oh but I'm not color blind
'Cause I've learned that love ain't only black and white

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