

# It Won't Last

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You can run away  
You can choose to stay  
Deny the fact  
Put on a lousy act  
You can hide your face  
In some new favourite place  
Maybe you'll stay a while  
Maybe you'll even smile  
But it won't last

No need to take the blame  
No need to change your name  
It wasn't your mistake  
You were trapped  
And you had to escape  
Go on and ride the crest  
Thinking it's you that's blessed  
Wear a new coat of paint  
Act like the sweetest saint  
But it won't last

But you can't hide it from your eyes  
Deep in your heart you hate the lies  
Somehow the fear will always be too near  
And just like your last mistake  
The road you take will lead you here  
To me it's clear, it's never gonna last

Now that you've heard the voice  
Could be your final choice  
You're looking one last chance  
Straight in the face  
Stand up and fight the fight  
Against all that's wrong inside  
Just turn and walk away  
Into a brighter day  
Then it might last

You did it time and time again  
It always ended up the same  
How did you hide from all the pain  
You know you left behind  
One day you'll turn around  
Totally alone with no way out  
I have no doubt 'cause  
You can't hide it from your eyes