

## The Red Thread

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I was only a girl when I went out on my own  
You wrapped me up warm and just let me go  
Now I live at the far end of this long distance line  
And I'm just another one who's gone and left you behind

Wish we could look at your pictures, all the places you've been  
I don't think you will but you can see them again  
'Cause you can see them through me  
The brown eyes I got from you  
Now I wish I could give 'em back to you

This much I can say, this much I can do  
When your heart is empty I'll try to fill it for you  
'Cause I'm the girl who learned to love from watching you

Wish that I could tell you it'll all be alright  
But you never did believe it through the trials of your life  
You and I both know it just isn't true  
When so much you love has been taken from you

I remember when you told me if we run out of time  
How happy you were just to know she'll be mine  
When I wrap her up warm, you'll be right next to me  
'Cause they say that the red thread that ties me to you  
Ties her to me

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Watching you, watching you