

# This Little Light

Mavis Staples

This little light of mine  
I'm gonna let it shine  
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I'm gonna let it shine

All in my home  
I'm gonna let it shine  
All in my room  
I'm gonna let it shine, Shine now

The road was ruff (through the dark)  
The way was long  
I kept on singing that freedom song  
My God promised me a rainbow sign  
Just gotta let my little light shine

Don't give up  
Don't back down  
Don't let the liar turn you around

My heart's fixed  
Way up in mind  
I'm going out and let my little light shine  
Shure gonna let my little light shine

All in the streets  
I'm gonna let it shine  
All in the battlefield  
I'm gonna let it shine

See now I ain't gonna fightin no rich man's war  
That ain't what God wanted use me for  
Killing folks it ain't in my line  
Shure ain't no way to let my little light shine

Shine on me  
Shine on me  
Let the light from the lighthouse  
... shine on me

You can't fool all the people all the time  
Get together let our little light shine

(Oh yes)  
Let it shine [x4]

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When it's cold  
Let it shine  
When the liar calls  
Let it shine  
In my home  
Let it shine

In my room  
Let it shine  
When hatred calls  
Let it shine  
When it shines  
Freedom shines  
When it shines  
No more sorrow  
When it shine  
No more pain  
When it shine  
Oh lord  
When it shine

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