

Love and War

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I don't really know what I'm saying
I've been in love and I've seen a lot of war
Seen a lot of people praying

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And mostly they pray about love and war

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I've seen a lot of young man go to war
And leave a lot young brides waiting
I watched them try to explain it to their kids
And seen a lot of them failing
They tried to tell and they tried to explain
Why daddy won't ever come home again

Daddy won't ever come home
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I said a lot of things that I can't take back
But I don't really know if I wanna
They've been songs about love; I sang songs about war
Since the back streets of Toronto

I sang for justice and I hit a bad chord
But I still try to sing about love and war

The saddest thing in a whole wide world
Is to break the heart of your lover
I made a mistake and I did it again
And we struggle to recover

I sang in anger, hit another bad chord
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