

# Isn't It A Shame

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How is it that two people  
Who laughed together and loved together  
Sometimes end up far apart?  
(Tell me how is it?)

And how is it that two people  
Who cry together, wanna die together  
Sometimes end up with a broken heart?

Isn't it a shame  
(Isn't it a shame, my friend)  
Sometimes such a love?  
(Sometimes such a love such as this must leave?)  
Isn't it a shame  
(Isn't it a shame, you have to laugh before you cry?)

And how is it that two people  
Who cling together wanna dream, dream together  
(Cling together wanna have a little dream together)  
Oh, they end up alone?  
(Tell me how is it?)

And how is it that two people  
Who plan together, make a little life together  
Sometimes end up along that road?

Isn't it a shame?  
(Isn't it a shame, my friend?)  
Sometimes such a love  
(Sometimes such a love such as this is must leave)

Isn't it a shame?  
(Baby, you have to laugh before you)  
Isn't it a shame that such a love must leave?  
(You'll have to laugh before you cry)

Isn't it a shame?  
Sometimes such a love  
Isn't it a shame?  
Isn't it a shame that such a love must leave?

Isn't it a shame?  
Sometimes such a love  
Isn't it a shame?  
You have to laugh before you cry

Baby, look, shame  
Oh, you gotta laugh before you  
Isn't it a shame  
That such a love must leave?

Isn't it a shame  
Sometimes such a love?  
Isn't it a shame  
(You have to laugh before you cry, cry, cry)  
Isn't it a shame that such a love must leave, woah?

Isn't it a shame, my friend  
Sometimes such a love?  
Isn't it a shame, isn't it a shame  
That such a love must leave, woah?

And how is it that two people  
Who live together, dream, dream together  
Sometimes end up all alone?  
(Tell me how is it?)

I said how is it again that two people  
Cling together, dream, dream together  
(Cling together, wanna build a little dream together)  
Sometimes end up all alone?

Isn't it a shame, my friend  
Sometimes such a love?  
Isn't it a shame, isn't it a shame  
That such a love must leave?

Isn't it a shame  
Sometimes such a love?  
Isn't it a shame, isn't it a shame  
That such a love must leave?

Isn't it a shame  
Sometimes such a love?  
Isn't it a shame, isn't it a shame?  
(Such a love must leave)