

# Bite My Tongue

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I was going to spell it out in full detail  
But I dropped the call before I spilled my guts  
But your floor stayed clean, like my conscience will be  
Cause if you heard anything, you didn't hear it from me

And I'm sweeping up the seconds that tick off the clock  
And saving them for later when I'm too ticked to talk  
And I need some time to search my mind  
To locate the words that seem so hard to find

Sometimes I say things that  
I wish I could take back  
The most crucial thing I lack  
Is a thing called tact  
But if you're always so intently listening  
Then the smartest thing to say is to tell myself not to say a thing

Yeah, I gotta keep quiet, quiet  
Don't let it all come undone  
Cause if I dare open my mouth  
It'll just be to bite my tongue  
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It seems I'm always close minded with an open mouth  
And the worst of me seems to come right out  
But I've never broken bones with a stone or a stick  
But I'll conjure up a phrase that can cut to the quick

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I gotta keep quiet, quiet  
And listen to your voice  
Because the power of your words  
Can restore all that I've destroyed

And when I finally do  
Let it come from you  
The peace of understanding grips my soul  
Cause you're the reason I've  
Found meaning in this life  
So I'll swallow up my pride and give you control  
I give all to you

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