

# I Wish I Liked You

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I wish I liked you  
Enough to be my friend  
I wish you liked me  
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I think of you and shudder  
When we meet I just pretend  
You'd be a lovely person  
If you were someone else  
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If you were someone else  
You're uncomfortable to be with  
You don't even like yourself  
You want to be offended  
You're arrogant and vain  
The only thing that cheers you up  
Is someone else's pain  
And you moralise  
Yeah you moralise  
You make me feel guilty  
As if I owed you one  
I'm always trying to appease you  
As if I owed you one  
Well I'm gonna have to work on that  
I owe you nothing  
Nothing at all  
Cause if you've done me any favors  
They were double-edged and cold  
You didn't do them out of love  
You just wanted to get some kind of hold  
I've got your number  
But I never call you back  
I've got your number  
But I never call you back  
You've got some thick-skinned friends  
Maybe they'll call you back  
Your eyes glaze over  
Every time somebody that's not you speaks  
Your eyes glaze over  
Every time somebody else speaks  
Upstairs something howls  
Outside something shrieks  
I wish I liked you  
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I think of you and shudder  
I hope we never meet again