

# House On The Corner

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There's a house on the corner  
lives a man who went to war  
And it tries to give him shelter from the pain of what he saw  
There's a child out the window painting faces in the snow  
And they smile a sad reminder of a life he used to know

There's a house on the corner  
lives a man with empty eyes  
For his heart has been broken for he was sold a pack of lies

Hold me closer (you know I can't)  
Hold me closer (but you don't understand)  
Hold me closer, open your heart  
Hold me closer (I'm so alone)  
Hold me closer (Oh you'll never know)  
Hold me closer, open your heart

For he fought for his country, now he fights to clear his name  
For the dead are always heroes and the living live in shame

And he said  
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Hold me closer, open your heart  
Hold me closer (I'm so alone)  
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