

# I've Learned To Live

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Like a child lost in the wilderness  
I knew not where to go  
Surrounded by the emptiness  
Of a love that left me cold  
I stumbled through that darkness  
Of nights that have no stars

And days that have no sunshine  
To warm my naked heart  
Like a bird in flight brought down by stones  
From an unknown assailant's sling  
A stranger took you from my arms  
And I lost everything, In days to come I nearly ran

Out of ways to stay alive  
But through it all I never lost  
The will to survive  
(And)

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But I've learned to live  
And you won't be the death of me, oh no  
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Like a thief who takes just what he needs  
And leaves the rest behind  
You took the heart right out of me  
And left me with my mind

And I've almost went out of it  
At times believed I did  
But gradually I learned you're someone  
I'll have to live with  
('Cause)

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