

# I Will Not Lie for You

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I will not lie  
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Everytime I see you fooling around on him  
I can't help but remember  
That he calls me his friend  
It's only right for me to tell you  
When it's the wrong thing to do  
It's only right that you should know  
If he comes to me  
I will not lie for you  
No, I won't lie for you

It's hard enough to see him stumbling blind  
I refuse to see him lose you and me at the same time  
It's only right for me to tell you  
When it's the wrong thing to do  
It's only right that you should know  
If he comes to me  
I will not lie for you  
No, won't lie for you

To come here as your friend and have you come on like my lover  
Like to bring things to an end  
Between myself and my brother  
If it was any other man I would not interfere  
But if you come on to me again  
I don't see how to stand clear

It's only right for me to tell you  
When it's the wrong thing to do  
It's only right that you should know  
If he asks me  
I will not lie for you  
Mama, I won't lie for you

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When you come on to me again  
I don't see how to stand clear

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When it's the wrong thing to do  
It's only right that you should know  
If he asks me  
I will not lie  
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I will not lie  
I will not lie for you

No, I won't lie for you  
Little girl, I won't lie for you  
No, I won't lie to him for you  
I will not lie for you