

## That's Why I'm Here

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Person to person and man to man  
I'm back in touch with my long lost friend  
Listen to reason and understand  
Think of me from way back when

He said me and melissa well we fell out of love  
Ran out of luck seems like lightning struck  
I've been thinking of leaving but i can't raise a buck  
James I'm wondering could i borrow your truck

I said that's why i'm here  
Got no better reason  
That's why i'm standing before you  
That's why i'm here

John's gone found dead he dies high he's brown bread  
Later said to have drowned in his bed  
After the laughter the wave of the dread  
It hits us like a ton of lead

It seems "learn not to burn" means to turn on a dime  
Walk on if you're walking even if it's an uphill climb  
Try to remember that working's no crime  
Just don't let 'em take and waste your time

That's why i'm here  
There'll be no more message tonight  
That's why I'm here  
That's why I'm here

This is an IOU  
I reckon' i owe you one now  
Listen wendy and listen gloria  
This'll be better tomorrow

Oh, fortune and fame's such a curious game  
Perfect strangers can call you by name  
Pay good money to hear fire and rain  
Again and again and again

Some are like summer coming back every year  
Got your baby got your blanket got your bucket of beer  
I break into a grin from ear to ear  
And suddenly it's perfectly clear

That's why I'm here  
Singin tonight, tomorrow, everyday  
That's why I'm standing here  
That's why I'm here

This is the part about kitty and bim  
He loved her and she loved him  
Wake 'em up shake 'em up the middle of the night  
Got to tell me everything's alright

He said that's why i'm here  
You got me talking and walking like a natural man

That's why I'm here  
That's why I'm here  
That's right