

## Homely Girl

The Chi-Lites

It must have broke your poor little heart  
When the boys used to say,  
You looked better in the dark.  
Oooh but now they'd give all they learnt in school  
To be somewhere in the dark with you  
(Oh yes they would)

You know the teacher would ask the questions  
And you, would always raise your hand  
Oooh but somehow you never got your turn  
And my eyes would fill with water, inside I'd burn  
(Oh yes I did)

Homely girl, She was so lonely  
You're a beautiful woman oh yes lonely girl  
Homely girl you used to be lonely  
You're a beautiful woman oh yeah

There was a boy who used to sit beside you  
Who'd like to hold that place his whole life through  
Oooh you were beautiful to me  
You had a heart no one could ever see, oh yes you did

I was the only one who offered  
To carry your books  
Took all the stares and laughter  
With the dirty looks  
But I saw then what they see now  
They all want to ask you for a date  
They don't know how, they don't know how

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Oooh first they want a chance to hold you  
Then they want a chance to try to control you  
Oh no, don't you know I got to say it