## **Old Cold River**

## The Growlers

They drug me down to the old cold river They're gonna throw me in Cause I've been caught sleeping with the daughter Of the only man in town who can swim

Now I'm facing the old cold river My back against the wind They gonna throw me Down to the bottom of the river Never to rise again

I'll sink down,down to the old cold bottom
Down I'll rest with the fish
I'll sink down, down to the old cold bottom
Just as her old man wished

The sea sleeps and the moon is hanging Something I'd rather do But I'm facing the old cold river Bed of eternal blue

With no reason to breathe
Without the right to love free
I'll sleep in the deep
And sink like a drink
Until again when we meet

Let me drown down to the old cold bottom Down I'll rest with the fish I'll sink down, down to the old cold bottom Just as her old man wished

They can't save me
Nobody can save me
They can't save me now
They can't save me
I don't want them to save me

If I must live without I'd rather drown
Down to the old cold bottom
Down I'll rest with the fish
I'll sink down, down to the old cold bottom
Just as her old man wished

Yeah I'm facing the old cold river My back against the wind They gonna throw me Down to the bottom of the river Come on and throw me in

They can't save me
Nobody can save me
They can't save me now
They can't save me
I don't want them to save me

If I must live without I'd rather drown Till I rise to the wide open skies Down to the bottom oh lonely bottom Till I rise to the wide open skies Leaving this place where love's forbidden A life without her love ain't worth livin' Leaving this place where love's forbidden A life without her love ain't worth livin' Down to the bottom oh lonely bottom Till I rise to the wide open skies Down to the bottom oh lonely bottom Until I rise I'll sink down, down to the old cold bottom Down I'll rest with the fish I'll sink down, down to the old cold bottom Just as her old man wished