You Know Better

It's late in the afternoon The light falls through the window It's draws a cross Above my bed Where you're on a different moon Where violent winds blow with no course Inside your head

You think there may be something wrong with you To make you doubt your love like this Well, I guess I'm singing out this song to you To let you know I think there is

But you know better than me You know better than anyone You know better than me You know better than me

"Maybe it's selfishness" you say
"All the promise I've broken thoughtlesly
I know that's no way to live"
"Or maybe it's mere distress" I say
"Fear to let anyone close enough to see
That you've got nothing to give?"

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Oh, did you ever place a bet? Did you ever gamble anything for love? What you give is what you get And now you know it's not enough

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