

# All That You Have Is Your Soul

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1. Oh my mama told me  
cause she learned the hard way  
say she wanna spare the children  
she say don't give or sell your soul away 'cause  
all that you have is your soul.

Don' be tempted by the shinny apple,  
don't you eat - of the bitter fruit.  
Hunger only for a taste of justice,  
hunger only for a word of truth, 'cause  
all that you have is your soul.  
I was a pretty young girl once,  
I had dreams, I had high hopes.  
Married a man, he stole my heart away,  
he gave his love but what a hig price I paid and  
all that you have is your soul.

2. Why was I such a young fool  
Thought I'd make history  
Making babies was the best I could do  
Thought I'd make someting that could me mine forever  
Found out the hard way once can't possess another  
And all that you have is your soul

3. I thought, thought that I could find a way  
to beat the system  
to make a deal and have no debts to pay  
I'd take it all, I'd run away  
Me for myself fist class and first rate  
But all that you have is your soul.

4. Here I am waiting for a better day  
A second change  
A little luck to come my way  
A hope to dream, a hope that I can sleep again  
And wake in the world with a clear conscience and clean hands  
'Cause all that you have is your soul.  
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