

Love Bank

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My poor heart takes a beating
Every time it hits the wall
You've built around your own heart
So thick and so damn tall

I cannot know the hard knocks
That your inner child has taken
Your innocence so battered
Your trust so badly shaken

My arms reach out to hold you
But each time they get rebuffed
As much as I adore you
It just never seems enough

So, I'm going to the Love Bank
Stash my loving in your name
I hope that all your other friends
Will come and do the same

The key to your great treasure
After all your claims to sin
Your deepest doubt turned roundabout
That's how it must begin

I liked to think that my love
Has some special magic power
To shatter your defenses
And upon your heart to shower

I thought I was your hero
Riding in upon my steed
A knight in shining armor
From your prison you'd be freed

I see now all my efforts
Your mistrust will simply burn
My heart must truly give
No expectation of return

Going down to the Love Bank
Stash my loving in your name
I hope that all your other friends
Will come and do the same

It may take time, but time heals all
And this is not a race
The moment comes, you find the key
Your riches to embrace

So now I'm in a let go
And I see I've been mistaken
The love I feel for you
Can never be forsaken

The urgency I felt for you
That time was running out
Was just a trick my ego used
To feed my own self doubt

Love is never lost
Its patience infinitely unbound
Safe inside your Love Account
With interest compound

I went down to the Love Bank
Stashed my loving in your name
I hope that all your other friends
Will come and do the same

The key to your great treasure
After all your time apart
A reaching out turned roundabout
That's how it has to start