

# I Used To Love Him

Lauryn Hill

Now I don't, I used to  
Love him, now I don't, now I don't

As I look at what I've done, the type of life that I've lived  
How many things I pray the Father will forgive  
One situation involved a young man  
He was the ocean and I was the sand  
He stole my heart like a thief in the night  
Dulled my senses and blurred my sight

And I used to love him but now I don't  
I used to love him but now I don't

I chose the road of passion and pain  
Sacrificed too much and waited in vain  
Gave up my power, ceased being queen  
Addicted to love like the drug of, drug of a fiend  
See, torn and confused, wasted and used  
Reached the crossroad, which path would I choose?

Stuck and frustrated I waited, debated  
For somethin' to happen that just wasn't fated  
Thought what I wanted was somethin' I needed  
When Momma said no, then I just should have heeded  
Misled, I bled till the poison was gone  
And out of the darkness arrived the sweet dawn

I used to love him, but now I don't  
I used to love him, yeah yeah yeah, but now I don't

Father, you saved me and you showed me that life  
Was much more than being some foolish man's wife  
Showed me that love was respect and devotion  
Greater than planets and deeper than any ocean  
See, my soul was weary, but now it's replenished  
Content because that part of my life is finished

I see him sometimes and the look in his eye  
Is one of a man who's lost treasures untold  
But my heart is guilty, I took back my soul  
And totally let my Creator control  
The life which was his  
The life which was his, to begin with

Now I don't, I used to  
Love him, now I don't  
Now I don't, I used to  
Love him, now I don't

Now I don't, I used to  
Love him, now I don't  
Now I don't, I used to  
Love him, now I don't, now I don't

I used to love him but now I don't  
I used to love him, yeah yeah yeah, but now I don't  
I used to love him but now I don't