

# No Frontiers

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If life is a river and your heart is a boat  
And just like a water baby, baby born to float  
And if life is a wild wind that blows way on high  
And your heart is Amelia dying to fly

Heaven knows no frontiers  
And I've seen heaven in your eyes  
And if life is a bar room in which we must wait  
'Round the man with his fingers on the ivory gates

Where we sing until dawn of our fears and our fates  
And we stack all the deadmen in self addressed crates  
In your eyes faint as the singing of a lark  
That somehow this black night

Feels warmer for the spark  
Warmer for the spark  
To hold us 'til the day  
When fear will lose its grip

And heaven has its way  
Heaven knows no frontiers  
And I've seen heaven in your eyes  
If your life is a rough bed of brambles and nails

And your spirit's a slave to man's whips and man's jails  
Where you thirst and you hunger for justice and right  
Then your heart is a pure flame of man's constant night  
In your eyes faint as the singing of a lark

That somehow this black night  
Feels warmer for the spark  
Warmer for the spark  
To hold us 'til the day when fear will lose its grip

And heaven has its way  
And heaven has its way  
When all will harmonise  
And know it's in our hearts

The dream will realise  
Heaven knows no frontiers  
And I've seen heaven in your eyes  
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Jimmy McCarthy