Tender Years

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You keep saying you love him and I believe that it's true And it just doesn't matter how much I love you But at time you'll understand, dear, when you shed a tear You'll know that you were livin' in your tender years

In your eyes there's a love life that's shinin' for him But now long will it stay there, will that love life grow dim You can just see the happiness, you can't see the tears It's true, 'cause you're livin' in your tender years

So if I can' be your first love, then I'll wait and be your las t.

I'll be somewhere in the future to help you forget the past And you'll know that I love you with a love that's sincere 'cause I'll wait 'til you're through livin' in your tender year s

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