

# Only Survivor

**Bobby Womack**

As I gaze around at the pictures hanging on my wall  
I don't know, I can't help but reminisce  
I think about 'em all, 'cause we all started together  
I'm talkin' about friends of mine  
People like Janis Joplin, Jimi Hendrix  
Otis Redding, Marvin Gaye, Jackie Wilson, and Sam Cooke  
Just to name a few

Sometimes I'm rolling  
Sometimes I'm standing still  
Sometimes I'm just having a ball  
Feeling moody isn't worth it all

They know I'm dependable  
Make the rounds and take the blows  
'Cause I'm the only survivor left still standing here

Sometimes I feel like I'm a long ways from home  
And the light for me from yesterday is gone  
And my army has marched across the hill  
And left me behind to fight the dream we live

And my heart can't take it  
And my feet don't wanna make it  
But I'm the only survivor left still standing here

I can see that old house standing alongside the road  
Where papa laid his plan and he let us go  
And the grass is high and I gotta chop it down  
'Cause I'm the only hope for my heirs to be found

And my heart can't take it  
And my feet don't wanna make it  
I'm the only survivor left still standing here

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Sometimes I'm standing still  
Sometimes I'm just having a ball  
Feeling moody isn't worth it all

They know I'm dependable  
Make the rounds and I take the blows  
'Cause I'm the only survivor left still standing here

Look like my heart can't take it  
And my feet don't wanna make it  
But I'm the only survivor left still standing here

As I gaze around at the pictures  
Hanging on my wall  
They come to life and my history is in it all  
People say he's a living legend in his time  
But I'm just a soldier who survived  
On the royal line

Look like my heart can't take it  
And my feet don't wanna make it

I'm the only survivor left still standing here

Look like my, look like my, look like my heart can't take it  
And my feet don't wanna make it  
But I'm the only survivor left still standing here