

## Declaration of My Independence

Carola

I've had enough of your acting like you own me  
You call this love  
But it's just your way of trying to control me  
I know my rights  
I learned them in school  
And I won't live my life by your rules

This is a declaration of my independence from you  
You pushed me over the edge  
And my pledge and allegiance is through  
I'm on permanent vacation  
From this nowhere situation  
This is a declaration of my independence from you

You shut me out when I offer my opinions  
You put me down  
You say I'm too emotional to make good decisions  
I just can't breath there's no room to grow  
I'm strong enough to stand on my own

This is a declaration of my independence from you...

For a while my heart was really broken  
But that was before  
For a while I left these words unspoken  
But not anymore

This is my emancipation  
From this nowhere situation  
Declaration of my independence  
Got my independence  
Gotta get out  
Got my independence from you  
I've got to get my independence from you  
I am free, I am free, I am free, I am free today  
My lord knows I am free  
Declaration of my independence  
This is... it's a declaration