

# Purple Heart

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I should get the purple heart for loving you after all the pain  
you put me through  
When they start passing medals out to fools I will get the purple heart for loving you

There was nothing in the headlines today you won the war  
The one and only casualty was me  
You put me out of action so many times before  
And left me on this battlefield to bleed  
And I should get the purple heart...

No one knows that I'm a hero there's no medals on my chest  
All my wounds are hidden deep inside  
I volunteered to love you hoping for the best  
But all you ever did was cheat and lie  
I should get the purple heart...  
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