## **The Story**

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Climb on up into Mama's bed, it's just us tonight Don't need a book, just snuggle in I'll tell you a story I wish I didn't have to say About a girl who fought with all her heart But still had to walk away

Once upon a time he loved me
Once upon a time I loved him too
It all fell apart in a moment
Lord, I wish it wasn't true
'Cause you deserve the perfect family
The fairytales you know so well
Instead of sitting here listening
To the story I wish I didn't have to tell

I know it's hard to see Mama cry
But I promise you that we're all gonna be alright
I need you to know that you'll always be loved
You're the very best chapter in the story of us
And it goes

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To the story I wish I didn't have to tell
Now it's time to pick up all these broken pieces
So that we can be the story we believe in

Once upon a time it was us three
Starting over, all brand new
Dreaming of the happy ending I always wanted for you
'Cause you deserve the perfect family
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The story I wish I didn't have to tell