

# I Know Better

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They say sing what you know  
But I've sung what they want  
Some folks do what they're told  
But baby this time I won't  
Will look through that door  
I know the truth won't lie  
Some things I've done before I can't justify

There are kings in my past  
Things no one can be proud of  
But I stand in the light I've casted  
And turn away from any lack of love  
Oh, and I walked through that door  
I say here I go  
You see me and nothing more  
I'm singing what I know

I know better  
I know better

Legend is just a name  
I know better than to be so proud  
I won't drink in all this fame  
I'll take more love than I'm allowed

I won't have to cut it off from where it came  
My history has brought me to this place  
This power and the color of my face

And I know better, oh  
I know better, oh

I'll rise from the floor if I don't win  
I'll bust open that door so let me in  
And the music chooses me to sing I let her  
I'll sing what I know, yes

I know better, oh  
I know better, yes  
I know better  
I know better