

## Jimmy's Lullaby

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It's getting hard to leave your apartment  
The light goes too often and your power is down  
It's getting dark and warmth isn't promised  
But I'll like you longest when love's not around

I'm gonna come over  
And I'm gonna sit there  
And I'm gonna hold you  
To me when you cry  
I'm gonna love better  
And I'm gonna listen  
And I'm gonna spend winter home by your side

I've spent a life breaking my promises  
'Cause the ones that I offered were forced from my hand  
I've spent a life practicing caution  
And I haven't often changed all my plans

But you just come over  
And I'll watch you sit there  
And offer to hold me  
To you when I cry  
I've learned to love better  
Since I've seen you listen  
And I'm gonna spend winter home by your side

I've spent the year counting my losses  
Waiting for slip-ups and scolding my skin  
I've spent the year counting my downfalls  
Saying I called it and calling it quits

But something is stirring  
And something is different  
I stood in your kitchen  
And I melt down and cry  
I think you weep when you find what you're missing  
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