

# Forgive You

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I guess it's time to tell it

Put it in the verse makes it easier this way  
If you ever did me wrong, why let it go and fade  
Was holding it all in like I wasn't supposed to say  
Was told you try to get the time and let it go away  
But it's not true now they ain't true  
Put up a wall started out small,  
But then that pain grew I had to let it all  
Now hope we got the same view  
My past made me who I am so in the way I thank you

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Couldn't keep it in yeah had to let it go  
Since I got the chance I just wanna let you know  
That I forgive you, yeah I forgive you, I forgive you  
The people that would doubt, the girls it ran out  
Every night my step dad would slap my mama in the mouth  
Choke me half the death and try to kick me out the house  
But I forgive you, yeah I forgive you, I forgive you  
I'm just telling you how it was, too blessed to hold the grudge  
Thank the man above now look back and then shrug  
Became a man from what I've been through  
So I forgive you, yeah I forgive you

I don't like to say I hate you  
Look we can't get through  
Forgive me I forgave you, neither of us was faithful  
You blame me and I blame you, life's a dirty game true  
Feelings make it painful but life it gotta go on  
I admire that you're so strong  
You really can't pull on, hoping things go wrong  
For the other person, never ends up working  
One thing is for certain the lesson's served its purpose

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Imagine being teen watching your mama get beat  
Chase down the street a gun pointed at her cheek  
I know it's so descriptive it's what I have to witness,  
Who knows how it would've ended, if you had not went to prison  
But you in it and change, turned the God and got saved  
And my mama was so amazed for me  
It was hard until today, but now the hate went away  
So all I wanna say, all I gotta say

All the promises I broke, all the lies that I told  
Don't you keep it in, I just hope you let me know  
Cause since you got your chance is your time to let it go  
Hope you forgive me, hope you forgive me