

## Never Needed Anyone

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It was all at once  
I missed everything I'd ever lost  
Started over many times  
Now I'm, I'm paying the cost

I never needed anyone  
I never needed anyone  
Never needed, needed anyone  
Like I need you  
I need you

Seems like so long ago  
When we had nothing to lose  
Now all that we are  
Is the living ghost of our youth

I never needed anyone  
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Like I need you  
Like I need you

So deep inside  
It just won't leave us, leave us alone  
In a world that's so lost, so dark, so afraid  
It cuts you to the bone

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