## I've Got a Reason

I've got a reason to sing Sitting alone in the square Stories about long gone times When everyone was there

I've got a reason to praise Memories of being so close Fighthing for things we belevied The future was not just a ghost

I sing about places I've dreamed And promises never come true Romantic islands I've seen Somewhere way out in the blue

I've got a reason to mourn For the lives of my old buccaneers Choruses into the dawn Till the ideals disappeared

I sing about faces I lost And fantasies I almost lived But darkness is always the boss No matter how much you might give

I've got a reason to sing Outside the houses of shame Stories about war and peace And cavalry that never came

I've got a reason to love The hope that one day we will win Over the forces of fear The trouble we're all sitting in

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