

## Once I Loved

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Once I loved...  
And I gave so much love to this love  
It was the world to me!

Once I cried...  
At the thought I was foolish an' proud  
And let you say goodbye!

Then, one day...  
From my infinite sadness you came  
And brought me love again!

Now I know...  
That no matter whatever befalls  
I'll never let you go!

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