And when your time on the mountain is over And you fall to the earth like a leaf It won't be enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't pay for this grief

You may lay your guilt on the altar Or nail your remorse to the cross But it's not enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't pay for this loss

And when the blood on your hands turns to water When the night on your soul turns to day It won't be enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't wash it all away

You may lay your guilt on the altar
Nail your remorse to the cross
But it's not enough this time to say sorry
Sorry won't pay for this loss

And when you're through with the spells you've been spinnin' When your hopes and your dreams have all died It won't be enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't turn back the tide

And if you should desist from deceiving And if you should confess to the crime It won't be enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't save you this time

You may lay your guilt on the altar Or nail your remorse to the cross But it's not enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't pay for this loss

You may lay your guilt on the altar Or nail your remorse to the cross But it's not enough this time to say sorry Sorry won't pay for this loss