

Just Stay Down ©

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VERSE 1

Both of us fighting sorts
slipped into those rings on a dare, of course
toe-to-toe but always eye-to-eye
always one more try

VERSE 2

Used to fit right, like hand in glove
now we fight just to stay in love
cut out of spite to win the round
but maybe tonight I'll just stay down

CHORUS

Down, if I have to take a dive
down, and keep my soul alive
down, just take the loser prize
cut up and cut down to size
down and not do anything
then just get up and leave this ring... behind

VERSE 3

Heart of a champion, dollar from a dime
little man in the corner of my mind
says always answer the bell
even when it rings in hell

VERSE 4

We could throw in the towel, call it a draw
lose the hate the pride and all
all we keep defending
but no one loves a quitter so this fight... is never ending

BRIDGE

I can go on hurting you
and take the pain you put me through
cheating, lies, the old one-two
or I could fall without a sound
and maybe this time, just stay down

CHORUS

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down, just take the loser prize
cut up and cut down to size
down and not do anything
then just get up and leave this ring... behind
and never come back around
if I could just stay down
if I could just stay down

