

HOLD ON BABY!

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1. It's a hard world when your
baby's been taken away.
Raises so much doubt
as to whether our love can remain.
Took away my rights to be
human, tender and free.
When they locked me away
they took away *your* right
to be loved by me.

REFRAIN I: Hold on baby! Ain't no maybe
anymore.
Love you woman; I'll soon be comin'
through your door.

2. It's unfair that justice is a
hollow body stripped of its clothes.
And when lovers go through it
ain't no one but them really knows –
what it does to us as we struggle
just to keep love alive.
Its torn apart your heart,
but baby, baby, don't let it die!

REFRAIN II: Hold on baby! Ain't no maybe
anymore.
Need you woman; I'll soon be comin'
through your door.

3. I've seen them beat old men
inside these gray prison walls.
Then I want to jump in
and help that old man as he calls!
But I'm learning that to save the world
I've got to stay alive too.
What I'm tryin' to say
is I'd give up what I must
to save me For you!

[REPEAT REFRAIN I]

4. I'm fighting for the key to the doors
that let me touch you again.
I don't know what I'll be
or become between now and then.
I want the best for you
no matter what, whatever they do to me.
So save yourself for the best
until the truth and these walls
set me free!

[REPEAT REFRAIN II]
[REPEAT AND FADE OUT]
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