Sometimes When We Touch

Rod Stewart

You ask me if I love you

And I choke on my reply

I'd rather hurt you honestly

Than mislead you with a lie

And who am I to judge you

In what you say or do?

I'm only just beginning

To see the real youAnd sometimes when we touch

The honesty's too much

And I have to close my eyes and hide

I want to hold you till I die

Till we both break down and cry

I want to hold you till the fear in me subsides

Romance and all it's strategy

Leaves me battling with my pride

But through all the insecurity

Some tenderness survives

I'm just another writer

Still trapped within my truth

A hesitant prize fighter

Still trapped within my youthAnd sometimes when we touch

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I want to hold you till I die

Till we both break down and cry

I want to hold you till the fear in me subsidesAt times I'd like to break you

And drive you to your knees

At times I'd like to break through

And hold you endlessly

At times I understand you

And I know how hard you try

I watched while love commands you

And I've watched love pass you by

At times I think we're drifters

Still searching for a friend

A brother or a sister

But then the passion flares againAnd sometimes when we touch

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