

## WITHSTAND THE STORM

Love me, love me for me  
For who I am and not for who I could be  
Love me for me, cause the road is long  
Love me for me to withstand the storm

Love me, love me like a child  
Innocent, innocent, beguiled and wild  
Love me like a child, though my beard is long  
Love me like a child to withstand the storm

Love me, love me like a rock  
Stand by me, stand by me through any shock  
Love me like a rock, though my back is worn  
Love me like a rock to withstand the storm

Love me, love me like a bird  
Fly with me, fly with me above this herd  
Love me like a bird, though my wings are torn  
Love me like a bird to withstand the storm

Because as sure as I'm standing here now, those storm winds will blow  
And as sure as I know he never existed, I know I ain't Romeo  
But I'm the one who's standing here now and I ain't going away  
I'll be here tomorrow just like I was here yesterday  
So what do you say?

### *Instrumental*

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And love me for me to withstand the storm