

## Ashley Monroe

### "The Morning After"

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I don't recall  
What I was drinking,  
But after the third one  
I was gone.  
Seventeen  
And not really thinking.  
Just wanted something  
Real strong.

Room spinnin' round faster and faster  
Drownin' in the midnight laughter  
But nothin' hits, nothin' hurts,  
Like the morning after.

I gave in  
To him completely.  
We made plans  
And we made love.  
But this world  
Can cut a heart so deeply.  
And we both gave  
'Til we both gave up.

An that night I lost everything that mattered  
And I thought I couldn't get any sadder  
But nothin' hits, nothin' hurts,  
Like the morning after.

The morning after the storm  
The morning after all the rain  
When you wake up and you realize  
That you'll never be the same.

Oh I don't care  
What I'm drinking.  
Just give me something  
Real strong.

Room spinnin' round faster and faster  
Drownin' in the midnight laughter  
But nothin' hits, nothin' hurts,

Oh nothin' hits, nothin' hurts,  
Like the morning after.

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