

## Dropkick Murphys "Upstarts And Broken Hearts"

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I once met a young girl filled with fire,  
That saw through my front to this shell of a man  
She knew I'd be a handful from the start,  
This strong willed woman had an angels heart  
The holes in these wings don't allow me to fly  
So you'd better brace for a life of pain,  
And if fate is the path to this better life  
Somehow I feel you'll never see the faces change

*[Chorus:]*

Through thick and thin,  
She stood by you  
She held the key to my broken heart

I look back and wonder,  
Sit and ponder.  
How I could have ever neglected you.  
For the blood soaked soil on the old ball field,  
I gambled on a hand I wasn't ready to lose  
But if the tables were turned and I faced the troubles,

Tough times and struggles I put you through  
I'd of been there as you were through hardship and  
horror  
My life and my love are pledged to you.

*[Chorus]*

Remember the nights she waited and wondered,  
fused to a myth that it had taken it's toll.  
But this Godless man has mended his way,  
Never again will she be alone.

I remember it well,  
Still I always knew that she was destined to be my bride  
This woman had pride,  
She was full of life.  
I could see the passion in her eyes.  
She thought she found a man,  
But she fell for the devil  
An evil monster in disguise.  
Now I'll honor and obey,

Forever stay.  
True to you, my Irish rose

*[Chorus]*

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