

## Gerald Levert "Taking Everything"

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To my heart  
To my car  
To my crib  
My kids, everything

Never thought you bring me so much pain  
Lord knows I tried to keep you happy, girl in every way  
I'm on the road doing my thing, trying to keep you  
laced  
Trying to keep a smile upon your face, girl

Put all my happiness in vain  
Or did I place in you a little too much faith  
Now nothing memories  
Never thought that this would be the price I had to pay

You took my heart, you took my car  
You took my crib, yes, you did  
Got the nerve to take my kids  
Got the nerve to take my kids

Took my love and my life  
Girl, you took my soul  
Taking everything from me  
Taking everything from me

You took my heart, girl, you took my car  
And you took my crib, tryin' to take my kids  
Girl, you took my love, then you took my soul  
Taking everything

Everything, everything  
Everything, everything

And now I'm sitting all alone  
Trying to figure out where you and I went wrong  
You know it makes me wanna cry  
Just thinking about it makes me wanna lay down and  
die

For the life of me I don't know how  
That you could take for granted and disregard our

sacred vows  
Now nothing memories  
Never thought that this would be the price I'd have to  
pay

You took my heart  
Girl, you took my, my car  
Tryin' to take my crib, girl  
You got the nerve to take my kids  
Got the nerve to take my kids

And take my love, love, love, love

And my life, girl, you took my soul, yeah  
Taking everything from me  
Taking everything from me

You took my heart, my car  
My crib, my, my kids, my kids  
My love, soul

Everything  
Everything, everything  
Everything, everything

Now I ain't never been no fool, I've always tried to keep  
my cool  
I was faithful and true, never bruised you or used you  
Even though sometimes you make me want to  
But I loved you

You should try to understand, girl, I was your man  
My life was in your hands, baby  
My love was shinning over there  
But this wasn't part of your plan  
No, no, no, no

What about the plans we had?  
Now you're gone and I'm just gonna be a weekend  
dad, baby  
Can I call you baby? Or is that just a passing thing,  
babe  
Listen to this sad song I sing, yeah  
What about the ring, what about the ring? Oh, ho

Now you going away in my car, girl, you can have the  
crib  
But won't you give me back my kids  
How am I supposed to live?  
Oh baby, without love, without love, babe  
She given me

My life, all my life, I'd thought we'd live forever  
Said we'd be together  
And you would never, never, never, never, never  
Never, never, ever, ever, leave, me

Take my  
Heart, crib, cars, kids, love, life, souls from me  
My cars, heart, crib, kids, my kids and now  
You would never, never, never leave me

Oh, no, oh oh, so oh  
Why? How could you  
Ah, You took everything

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