

# James Carr

## "Pouring Water On A Drowning Man"

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You push me when I'm falling  
And you kick me when I'm down  
I guess I missed my calling  
Cause I sit up in a cloud

How much more  
How much more could I stand  
When you're pouring water  
On a drowning man

Put me on the right track  
And then you let me down  
Stab me in the back  
Yes, you do, baby  
Everytime I turn around

Criticize my love, won't you try  
Just try to understand  
You're pouring water  
I got to tell you bout it  
On a drowning man

You're pouring water  
On a drowning man  
You treat me like  
The fool that I am

You planned it out  
Like everything you do  
You put salt in my wound  
It's sad but it's true

You warm me with your kissing  
Then you leave me in the cold  
How can I know your wishes  
Wanna hear you tell me  
When I never been told, alright

I cried in mercy, baby  
Just try to understand  
You're pouring water  
I got to tell you bout it

On an old drowning man, yeah

You're pouring water, ha ha  
You see I'm a drowning man  
Oh, I got tears in my eyes  
I'm a drowning man

Don't let me drown, oh, baby  
I'm a drowning man

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