

## Jim Steinman

# "A Kiss Is A Terrible Thing To Waste"

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If you listen to the night  
You can hear the darkness call  
I can barely stand the wait  
I can barely stand at all  
Come on closer to me now  
Like we're sharing the same skin  
We've gotta get out of this jail  
We've gotta let the future in  
So many things in your life that you're bound to  
regret:  
Why didn't I do that?  
Why didn't I do this?  
So many chances you've lost that you'll never  
forget:  
Why didn't I make it?  
Why didn't I take it right there?  
The loneliest words you will ever know:  
If only if only it were so  
The emptiest words that there'll ever be:  
It coulda been me, it coulda been me  
The loneliest words you will ever know:  
If only if only it were so  
The emptiest words that there'll ever be:  
It coulda been me, it coulda been me

You'll have to pay for it later  
If you don't get it when it's going for free  
Believe me, believe me

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A kiss is a terrible thing to waste  
It's something that's always been so  
A kiss is a terrible thing to waste  
A kiss is a terrible thing to waste  
And one of these nights  
You've gotta show me that you already know  
There's a feast waiting for you and you've never  
even gotten a taste  
It's later than you think  
And a kiss is a terrible thing to waste  
You shouldn't tremble when we touch  
There's no reason for these fears

It's a promise that was made  
We've been promised this for years  
I want to show you it all  
What to do and where and how  
Cause we'll never be as young as we are right now  
CAUSE WE'LL NEVER BE AS YOUNG AS WE ARE RIGHT  
NOW!  
So many cries in the night that you've tried to ignore:  
Why didn't I do this?  
Why didn't I do that?  
So many unanswered prayers, so many unopened  
doors:  
Why didn't I take it?  
Why didn't I make it come true?  
The loneliest words you will ever know:  
If only if only it were so  
The emptiest words that there'll ever be :  
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And a kiss is a terrible thing to waste  
Tire tracks and broken hearts, that's all we're  
leaving behind  
It doesn't matter what we lose, it only matters what  
we're going to find  
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