

## **John Wetton**

# **"You Against The World"**

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Did you fight your evil demons  
Or did you walk away in tears  
Did you hold your head within your hands  
After all those years?

Did you tell them of your story?  
How you fought till you were done  
At the end of the day when you'd had your say  
Well, the big guns won

When you talked to me of glory  
I know you held your banners high  
But for all the good it did you  
You made a grown man cry

And for those of us who loved you  
And couldn't bear to see the pain  
When the lights went out inside you  
Something died in vain

It was you against the world  
With a wounded heart you'd try to be a woman  
A fragile little bird  
With the wings that wouldn't fly  
You denied yourself the childhood you deserved  
It was you against the world  
And you were just a little girl

Could you think about forgiveness  
Could you find it in your heart  
To release all the anger you feel  
And make a brave new start

To forget about your battles  
There's no shame in your defeat  
Love will only make you stronger  
Make your life complete

And be that little girl  
For soon enough you will become a woman  
High above the world  
So precious and so proud

Your wings soar through the cloud towards your  
freedom  
But remember, mighty bird  
When you were just a little girl  
And it was you against the world

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