

## **Kim Carnes**

# **"It's Not The Spotlight"**

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(Barry Goldberg/Gerry Golfin)

If I ever feel the light again shinin' down on me  
I don't have to tell you what a welcome it will be  
I felt the light before but I let it slip away  
But I still keep on believin' that it'll come back some day  
It's not the spotlight  
And it's not the camera light  
And it's not the streetlight of some old street of  
dreams  
It ain't the moonlight  
Not even the sunlight  
But I've seen it shining in your eyes  
And you know what I mean  
Sometimes I try to tell myself the light was never real  
Just a fantasy that used to be the way I used to feel  
But you and I know better now  
Even though it's been so long  
If your memory really server you well  
You'll never tell me that I'm wrong

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And it's not the camera light  
And it's not the streetlight of some old street of  
dreams  
It ain't the moonlight  
Not even the sunlight  
But I've seen it shining in your eyes  
And you know what I mean  
If I ever feel the light again things will have to change  
Names and faces homes and places will have to be  
rearranged  
And you can help it come about  
If your're ever so inclined  
Ain't no rhyme or reason  
Why a woman can't change her mind  
It's not the spotlight  
And it's not the camera light  
And it's not the streetlight of some old street of  
dreams  
It ain't the moonlight  
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