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"The Teddy Bear Song"

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(Nick Nixon - Don Earl)

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I wish I had button eyes and red fat nose
A shaggy cotton skin and just one set of clothes
Sittin' on the shelf in the local department store
With no dreams to dream and nothin' to be sorry for
I wish I was a Teddy Bear not living nor loving nor
going nowhere
I wish I was a Teddy Bear and I'm wishin' I hadn't fallen
in love with you
I wish I had a wooden heart and a sawdust mind
Then your mem'ry wouldn't come around to hurt all the
time
I'd have a sewed on smile and a painted twinkle in my
eye
And I never would've ever had to learn how to cry
I wish I was a Teddy Bear...
I wish I had a string you'd pull to make me say hi I'm
Teddy ain't that a lovely day
Then I'd know everytime I've spoke the words were
right
And no one would know the mess I made in my life
I wish I was a Teddy Bear...
And I'm wishin' I hadn't fallen in love with you

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