

## Shirley Bassey

# "Born To Sing (I Was Born To Sing Forever)"

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(live Shirley Bassey begins with the refrain before the first verse)

When the spotlight hits my face, I'm alive

The stage is where I'll always survive  
The only place that I want to be  
When I hear the audience coming in  
I feel the magic starts to begin  
And then I know they come to see me  
When I hear the maestro strike up the band  
And the drums begin to play  
It's the only way that I understand  
To live my life each day

Refrain:

I was born to sing forever  
Born to sing for you  
And as long as we're together  
There's nothing else I want to do  
I was born to sing forever  
To me that's everything  
And until the end of time  
I know, I'm born to sing  
(live Shirley Bassey repeats the refrain here and then ends without the second verse)

When the rhythm starts to beat in my brain

I sing the verse and then the refrain  
And love to hear the sound of applause  
When the crowd appreciate what I do  
I find that each performance is new  
I go on singing that is because  
There are those who think I'm wasting my time  
They say that's life's not just a song  
But as long as there is music and rhyme  
I know where I belong  
I was born to sing forever

Born to sing for you  
And as long as we're together  
There's nothing else I want to do

I was born to sing forever  
To me that's everything  
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