

Four Years and Seven Scores Ago

(Verse 1)

Four years and seven scores ago, that's when the heartache started to flow
My baby left me, walked right out the door
Now I miss her so, more than words can show
Yeah, she caught me in my tracks, and I'll never get her back
She left me four years and seven scores ago

(Verse 2)

I played the cheating game, yeah, I know it's a crying shame
Never taking all the blame, thought I could always control
Thinking that she'd be here all the while, beneath my foolish smile
Never did it dawn on me, that she would walk right out on me
When she left I thought I saw her smile, a cold and bitter style

(Chorus)

Oh, my woman's gone, left me all alone
Since she's gone I've played the field, trying to mend what's never healed
Not wanting love that might get real, running from the way I feel
Haunted by her leaving, I keep on deceiving myself
Wish I could go back, change all my crooked tracks

(Verse 3)

I've chased after shadows in the night, searching for a love that burns so bright
But they all fall short, they just can't compare
To the love I threw away, day by day
Now I'm paying the price, I was oh so unwise
Wish I could turn back time, for a love so sublime

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(Bridge)

Four years and seven scores, still knocking on my door
The memory of her face, in every empty space
Guess I learned a lesson hard, left my soul badly scarred
Now I know what I had, but that beauty turned so bad

(Chorus)

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