

# Blues Traveler, Never A Lover & Always The Friend

Music & lyrics: John Popper

Come to me madam, come one and all  
I'll be there to save you from your romancing fall  
I'll be there to touch you with some words to a song  
And I'll see what I can do to fix what is wrong  
You're sharing my power you're sharing my pain  
You tell me you love me and I will not complain  
My advice seems to work, for you're soon on your way  
And you thank me so much and I will tell you it's okay  
But a kiss on the cheek is where it will end  
Cause I'm never the lover and always the friend

I put on no pressure and know I'm on your mind  
I love you forever and I'll always be kind  
Loneliness knows me so I know what to say  
And I see how it will be so I know when to play  
Come share in my power, come share in my pain  
Come tell me you love me and I will not complain  
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And you thank me so much and I will tell you it's okay  
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I can remember a time that was enough  
And the safety we had made it seem almost like being in love  
Being in love  
Oh, love

A bartending minstrel, I will answer your call  
A carnival gypsy with his twelve-string crystal ball  
I can't really touch you so my songs are all lies  
The truth is simply pain and the tears in your eyes  
But you can share in my power, you can share in my pain  
You can tell me love me and I cannot complain  
My advice seems to work and you're soon on your way  
And you thank me so much and I will tell you it's okay  
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