

# Pam Tillis, Rough And Tumble Heart

It's been kicking around since '72  
And there's not a whole lot that it ain't been through  
Never quite learned to play by the rules  
And there's one in every dreamer

Well, it's hung around where it didn't belong  
And given in when it should've been strong  
And you think by now it would've turned to stone  
But the flame burns bright as ever  
Yeah, the flame burns bright as ever

I got a rough and tumble heart  
Well, it took a few falls till it got smart  
But it's still tender in the deepest part  
This rough and tumble heart, rough and tumble heart

Well, it's never lead a sheltered life  
It knows love cuts deeper than the sharpest knife  
And it struggled so long with the wrongs and rights  
When there were no easy answers

Oh, it beats so lonely in the still of the night  
Needing someone to hold it tight  
And it never will give up the fight  
For a love that lasts forever  
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