

# The Proclaimers, Should Have Been Loved

You've been let down, messed around  
Told to get your feet back on the ground  
When you should have been loved, loved, loved  
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You've been ripped off, written off  
Told an act of kindness made you soft  
When you should have been loved, loved, loved  
You should have been loved

But all your detractors underestimated you  
Cause they don't know you like I do

You've slept rough, stolen stuff  
Been beaten by a guy to show he's tough  
When you should have been loved, loved, loved  
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And anything new you tried to do  
Got treated like a jumper in a queue  
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But when there was pity and when there was wealth  
You wasted neither on yourself

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