## Jim Steinman, For Crying Out Loud

I was lost till you were found But I never knew how far down I was falling Before I reached the bottom

I was cold and you were fire And I never knew how the pyre Could be burning On the edge of the icefield

And now the chilly California wind Is blowing down our bodies again And were sinking deeper and deeper in the chilly California sand Oh I know you belong inside my aching heart And cant you see my faded Levis Bursting apart And dont you hear me crying: "Oh Babe, dont go" And dont you hear me screaming: "How was I to know?"

Im in the middle of nowhere Near the end of the line But theres a border to somewhere waiting And theres a tank full of time Oh give me just another moment to see the light of the day And take me to another land where I dont have to stay And Im gonna need somebody to make me feel like you do And I will receive somebody with open arms, open eyes, Open up the sky and let the planet that I love shine through

For crying out loud You know I love you For crying out loud You know I love you For crying out loud You know I love you

I was damned and you were saved And I never knew how enslaved I was kneeling In the chains of my master

I could laugh oh but you could cry And I never knew just how high I was flying Oh, with you right above me

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For taking in the rain when Im feeling so dry For giving me the answers when Im asking you why And my oh my For that I thank you

For taking in the sun when Im feeling so cold For giving me a child when my body is old And dont you know For that I need you

For coming to my room when you know Im alone For finding me a highway and for driving me home And you gotta knowFor that I serve you

For pulling me away when Im starting to fall For revving me up when Im starting to stall And all in all For that I want you

For taking and for giving and for playing the game For prying for my future in the days that remain Ohh LordFor that I hold you

Ah but most of all For crying out loudFor that I love you Ah but most of all For crying out loudFor that I love you

When youre crying out loud You know I love you