

Meredith Brooks, Lay Down

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What if I told you were stupid, destructive, soulless

Callous, murderous, malignant, belligerent, ignorant
Would you believe me would you like that
Or would you prove me wrong and fight back
I'd like to take the sunshine right from the sky
And let it shine on you through my eyes
You see we all in the same boat trying to float
So everybody grab a oar we can make it to shore

Chorus

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Some came to sing
Some came to pray
Some came to keep the dark away
So raise the candles high
'cause if you don't we could stay
Black against the night
So raise them higher again
And if you do we could stay dry against the rain

Chorus (repeat)