

# Pet Shop Boys, For All Of Us

There are people who think I lead  
A kind of charmed life  
With everything I need  
No pain or strife  
If only they knew  
The absolute truth

The secrecy and lies  
The bitter tears I've cried  
The days when I can't hide  
From hopelessness inside

The mad humiliation  
Of knowing what you've done  
In a sad infatuation  
That went on far too long

After all that we've been through  
Only tears can tell the truth

I'm not crying just for you  
I'm crying for me  
For those who came between  
I'm crying for all of us

For the lack of communication  
Secrets shared no longer  
For my weak intimidation  
When I should have been much stronger

For the jealousy and shame  
That you were someone's plaything  
For that love that survived the pain  
in spite of everything

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I'm not crying just for you  
I'm crying for me  
For this whole wretched scene  
I'm crying for all of us

For the impossibility  
Of love in world where sex  
Is a cruel competitive sport  
For the love that sex rejects

For the ripples spreading wider  
For the friendships destroyed  
By suspicions and fighting  
And the cover-ups implied

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I'm not crying just for you  
I'm crying for me  
For those who came between

I'm crying for you  
For me  
For what might have been

For you  
And me  
Baby for all of us

For all of us