

# Rodney Crowell, Give My Heart A Rest

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I've tried to make the most out of a hopeless situation  
But turning something wrong into something right  
But everything I do brings out the worst in you  
Seems we always wind up gettin' in a fight  
I tell our friends again it's just a phase we're going through  
It's the kind of trouble you know that won't ever last  
But the farther down I go and the more I think I know  
We've headed down a rough and rocky path  
So if you love me like you say you really love me why you wanna put me to the test  
Yeah if you don't want me it won't disappoint me I just wanna give my heart a rest  
I try to rise above the petty gossip of this town  
I try to keep my nose clean and my eyes open wide  
But people talk so much it's hard to stay in touch  
With the way you really feel down deep inside  
Oh the sound of rolling thunder keeps on calling out to me  
Way out on the highway is the place I wanna be  
It's hard to make it work when I feel just like a jerk  
And the past's the only future that I see  
So if you love me like you say...  
Yeah I just wanna give my heart a rest  
Yeah I just wanna give my heart a rest