

# Reasons Why

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Rock, let's rock, yeah

I used to wonder 'bout a lot of things  
Things that I didn't understand  
I've given on up in what I used to take  
I know I'm giving all I can  
Life is too short to be taken  
Taken for a jolly ride, yeah  
Everything I do from now on in, hoo  
I got to be satisfied

I ain't living sun up to sun down  
Just to have a frown on my face, ooh  
I have my feet planted on the ground  
I like it better that way, for

(Oh-ooh-oh-ooh-oh) I love the reasons why  
(Oh-ooh-oh-ooh-oh) I love the reasons why

Hey, hey, darling  
Love it, love it, love it, love it, love it, love it  
Oh, oh, oh, oh, yeah

Bright lights, big city, it's like a spider web, y'all  
Caught up in the glitter and the pretty  
Never have I seen it so bad  
Life is too short to be taken  
Taken for a jolly ride, ooh  
Everything I do from now on in, hoo  
I've got to be satisfied

I ain't living from sun up to sun down  
Just to have a frown on my face (Frown on my face)  
I have my feet planted on the ground  
I like it better that way, ho

(Oh-ooh-oh-ooh-oh) I love the reasons why  
(Oh-ooh-oh-ooh-oh) I love the reasons why

You can love any man when you wanna  
I love the reasons, the reasons why  
When your friends ain't around when your world is falling down  
I know the reasons why  
Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, yeah  
I know the reasons why, yeah  
Ooh, yeah, I love the, oh, oh, oh, oh  
Hoo, yeah, I love the, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah  
Ooh, I love the, oh, oh, oh, oh, yeah  
I love the, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, the reasons, ooh  
Ooh, the reasons why  
Ooh, uh-huh, ooh, uh-huh, ha, yeah, ooh yeah yeah, I love the reasons