## Don't Have To Tell You Why

## **Bruce Cockburn**

Don't want to be on no rooftop Frying in the afternoon sun Don't want to sit by no fountain Listening to the man-made stream run Just want to stand where the sea-spray Gleams like fire with you And I don't have to tell you why

Don't want to go to no parties Full of fair-weather friends Don't want to be in no 'in' crowd Chasing after every trend Just want to stand on some hillside In Wales with you And fly -- don't have to tell you why

Don't want to live in no mansion Ornate as a crown prince's church Don't want to live on no sidewalk Underneath no pigeon's perch Just want to stand at the rainbow's Real end with you And I don't have to tell you why