

# A Long and Happy Life

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I was born to a family of jokers  
Gamblers and smokers living on the line  
I was raised by strong-headed women  
Men who tested limits and did a little time

And it ain't a mystery you fell for me  
We're just two lost souls trying to find our peace  
Love like ours ain't a masterpiece  
It's a good day in the sun

I was born to love you  
Out where the water is wide  
Make me your country bride  
You'll be my prince of tides  
You were born to heal me  
Under a velvet sky  
Cattails dancing in the light  
We were born to live a long and happy life  
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Yeah, folks like us  
We may lie down in darkness  
But we don't lose our sparks; we bring back a good story to tell  
Cause we grew up around beauty  
Sunsets better than a movie  
We knew it was our appointed duty to love like the world might end  
And to toast to good nights with friends

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Hey, a happy life

And it comes to me in waves  
Like the shores of Palmetto Bay  
Knowing I'm so lucky  
Your broken heart could love me

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