

## 18 Forever

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You were just here laughing  
On my shoulder  
Tackling me over  
We stayed in as the nights grew colder

You were just here with me  
In this closet  
The one I set here locked in  
Tried on every dress  
With you there watching

And there on the floor  
We stared at cheap neon stars  
And look there's the door  
I'd open up to your arms

Now I'm in this car  
I drive past that spot we parked in  
Where I cried our first time fighting  
We made up there on that mountain  
Now this place looks dark  
That abandoned football stadium  
Once lit up with friends tailgating  
We hid out right there till morning  
I was in your arms  
You told me don't be scared of nothing  
Well you know back then I wasn't  
Not until this real life sunk in  
And told us we couldn't be together  
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We were just there talking  
Bout the future  
Sitting in that backyard  
Passed a guitar around the fire  
We were just about to toast to  
The summer, play some Brand New  
In the suburbs not much to do  
But find a little bit of home in each other  
But every box of wine has to run out  
And all the stores are closed  
All over this town

Now I'm in this car  
I drive past that house we lived in  
Every night that's where we ended  
If the sun's down we're not sleeping  
Now the street looks dark  
Once lit up felt young love blossom  
If I held out what would happen  
Would we still be looking back when  
When you stole my heart  
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Toast to the good time  
Black out the bad nights  
Held onto close ties, some lost touch  
Saw faces fly by  
Heard rumors spread like wildfire  
Felt the hurt and the rush of love

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