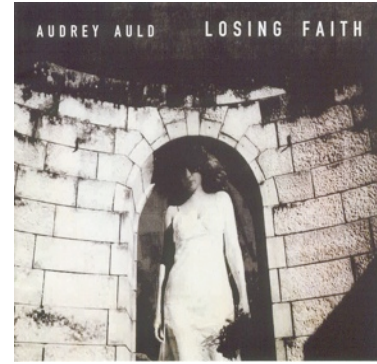


## LOSING FAITH - LYRICS



### LOSING FAITH

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You were an oasis  
When I was in the desert  
But when I got too close  
You'd disappear  
Then you'd leave me stranded  
And feed me drops of water  
And tell me it was wine  
And not to fear

And you gave me bread and fishes  
And spoke of burning bushes  
And I drank your blood  
Just to prove my faith  
But when I cried an ocean  
And asked you to come over  
You took a step  
And sank without a trace

You were singing my song  
So I gave you a halo  
But you preferred to wear  
A crown of thorns  
I was your disciple  
Standing in your shadow  
When you spoke  
I hung on every word

And you gave me bread and fishes  
And spoke of burning bushes  
And I drank your blood

**Reckless  
RECORDS**

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Just to prove my faith  
But when I cried an ocean  
And asked you to come over  
You took a step  
And sank without a trace

Losing faith, saving face  
Trying to live in a state of grace  
And you're not the reason I am  
You're just a man

And there's nothing between us  
That could ever move a mountain  
Nothing that could ever part the sea  
Now I'm the one who's bearing  
The cross of your creation  
I'll be crucified and you'll be free

And you gave me bread and fishes  
And spoke of burning bushes  
And I drank your blood  
Just to prove my faith  
But when I cried an ocean  
And asked you to come over  
You took a step  
And sank without a trace

There was I  
Losing faith  
Losing faith

DENIED

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I thought you were someone  
You turned out not to be  
And I was meant to be something  
That wasn't even me  
Dreamers never like the cold  
Light of reality  
It's easier to walk away  
Than look and really see

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**RECORDS**

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That there's love like we've never known before  
With the passing revelations  
I only feel it more  
It's not about romance  
Or you being mine  
But you know me and I know you  
And that can't be denied

So we stumble on unknowing  
And try to stay apart  
And look for consolation  
In other people's hearts  
But sometimes in the darkness  
When no one's left to blame  
I feel good just knowing  
I'm a keeper of the flame

Of a love like I've never known before  
With the passing revelations  
I only feel it more  
It's not about romance  
Or you being mine  
But you know me and I know you  
And that can't be denied

You love me and I love you  
And that can't be denied

OUR LADY OF SORROWS  
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Our lady of sorrows  
Do you think she'd listen to me?  
Where would I find her?  
Do you think that she'd see me?  
For I am not a pilgrim  
I will not be saved  
But if I see our lady  
I might not go astray

You'd call me a sinner



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For my wicked ways  
And you'd say I'm a loser  
In my younger days  
You may not forgive me  
For failing your heart  
But I beg your leave  
To make a brand new start

I have wandered the valley for too long  
Hung my head in shame  
And cried a lonely song  
I have made the night my home  
And always felt alone  
Our lady of sorrows  
Shelter me

Our lady of sorrows  
Cry your tears on me  
Weep away the sadness  
Come and wash me clean  
I have not been christened  
No one prays for me  
But if I see our lady  
I could be set free

I have wandered the valley for too long  
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I have made the night my home  
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NOT WHO I AM  
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Do you need a lot of women to feel like a man?  
Do you violate sacred sites just because you can?  
Do you smile when you're lying and say you understand?



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Cause that's not who I am

Do you create a great reality to throw it all away?  
Do you caste a spell upon the world with everything you say?  
Do you destroy tomorrow by what you do today?  
Cause that's not who I am

Do you aim, divide and conquer to cause another war?  
Do you keep the battle going till they can't fight no more?  
Do you wash the blood from your hands and add another score?  
Cause that's not who I am

Do you make all those who love you live a lie as well?  
To grit their teeth and bite their tongues on truths they'll never tell  
Do you laugh and turn your back on dreams that didn't sell?  
Cause that's not who I am

Do you stand before your maker and never feel the shame  
Do you point to those around you and say they're all to blame?  
Do you forget the honour in your family name?  
Cause that's not who I am

DOIN'WELL

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You say go to Austin  
It really happens there  
The college kids are fresh and bright  
And there's music in the air  
Well I say yeah,  
You can go to hell  
I'm staying here  
I'm doin' well

You tell me in Santa Cruz  
They're putting on a show  
KPIG on the radio  
It's where I gotta go  
Well I say yeah,  
You can go to hell  
I'm staying here

**Reckless**  
**RECORDS**

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I'm doin' well

You say New York City  
That's the place to be  
High-cotton country  
And bagels in the streets  
Well I say yeah,  
You can go to hell  
I'm staying here  
I'm doin' well

Now I know about Nashville  
Where everyone's a star  
Even if you drive a cab  
Or work behind a bar  
Well I say yeah,  
You can go to hell  
I'm staying here  
I'm doin' well

And what about New Orleans  
On the Gulf of Mexico  
Lucinda's on the road map  
And on every stereo  
Well I say yeah,  
You can go to hell  
I'm staying here  
I'm doin' well

And I say yeah I'm doin' well  
I'm staying here  
And you can go to hell

TRASHIN'DA BLUES  
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Yeah I'm going out again  
What you expect me to do?  
Sit around with a loaded gun  
And an itchy trigger finger?

**Reckless**  
**RECORDS**

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What's the use in staying home  
When I got cabin fever  
If I'm not here when you call me  
I'll be trashing da blues

Trashin da blues  
Trashin da blues  
Trashin da blues  
Nothing left to lose

I got sorrow coming on  
And I can't seem to shake it  
Every time I'm left alone  
I think I'm going crazy  
The walls are closing in on me  
And darkness overtakes me  
If I'm not here when you call me  
I'll be trashing da blues

Trashin da blues  
Trashin da blues  
Trashin da blues  
Nothing left to lose

Trashin da blues  
Trashin da blues  
Trashin da blues  
If I'm not here when you call me  
I'll be trashing da blues

Crowded rooms and noisy bars  
Are places I can hide in  
No one there will know my name  
And I won't have to answer  
You'll be just a memory  
As I'm sinking under  
If I'm not here when you call me  
I'll be trashing da blues

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### YOUR EYES

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You don't know what to say when people ask about me  
You don't know how to behave  
But you're smiling hard and they're believing you  
But your eyes give you away

Your mind is cracked and your heart is broken  
And you've got a chip on your shoulder  
And mount Rushmore could have used a face like yours  
But your eyes give you away

If the windows to my heart are so wide open  
Why can't I see a different point of view?  
As your world turned, mine started over  
And I lost sight of you

Now the chambers of my heart hold all your secrets  
All the things that you'll never say  
As the flames die I watch the phoenix rise  
But still your eyes give you away

As the flames die I watch the phoenix rise  
But still your eyes give you away

### B-GRADE AFFAIR

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She's not silk, she's nylon  
But when he's with her he can try on  
All the lines he's heard on TV  
"You're the only one who understands me"

He's more generous than handsome  
But she shuts her eyes and imagines  
That it appears to the rest of the world  
That he loves her and she's still a girl



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It's a B-grade affair  
They don't really care  
But it's better than being alone  
It's a B-grade affair  
It's not really there  
But it does until something else comes along

He'll be gone in the morning  
And she'll be glad she slept in  
Maybe tonight, well maybe he'll call  
Maybe she'll answer, maybe she won't

It's a B-grade affair  
They don't really care  
But it's better than being alone  
It's a B-grade affair  
It's not really there  
But it does until something else comes along

She's not silk, she's nylon  
And he's not exactly a turn-on  
But she gets her drinks for free  
"You're the only one who understands me"

### NEXT BIG NOTHING

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I'm a gonna be the next big nothing  
You won't see my name on mtv  
I'm a gonna be the next big nothing  
No one knows my name in Tennessee

Once I thought that I would be a big star  
Making everybody look at me  
Driving to the bank in my big car  
And looking at my self on TV

But I'm a gonna be the next big nothing  
You won't see my name on mtv  
I'm a gonna be the next big nothing  
No one knows my name in Tennessee



LOSING FAITH - LYRICS

Mama said that I was gonna make it  
That I'd be on the grand ole opry  
Then I'd stick my hands in wet concrete  
But no one ever thought of asking me

So I'm a gonna be the next big nothing  
You won't see my name on mtv  
I'm a gonna be the next big nothing  
No one knows my name in Tennessee

HEARTACHE

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I get myself so twisted up  
I can't tell anymore  
If I'm right or if I'm wrong  
And what this heartache's for

I'm trying to find an easy way  
To not walk out the door  
But nothing's ever been this hard  
And what's this heartache for?

The hell ahead looks better than  
The hell I've known before  
It's so weird to feel alright  
But what's this heartache for?

I'm crying like a little girl  
But I'm stronger than the world  
Atlas shrugged and woke me up  
So what's this heartache for?

Your eyes of blue fire burn into mine  
Your sweet lies down the wire mess with my mind

And when the silence comes at night  
Then I know for sure  
I'm sadder than a homeless man  
And what this heartache's for

AIN'T NO JOY



## LOSING FAITH - LYRICS

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There ain't no joy in this heart of mine  
There ain't no sunshine, it's raining all the time  
There's only worries and troubles on my mind  
There ain't no joy in this heart of mine

I work so hard trying to get ahead  
I work for a dollar to keep the hunger fed  
I slave all day till I'm nearly dead  
I work so hard trying to get ahead

There ain't no one to love a weary heart  
I travel on a long and lonely path  
I lay me down alone in the dark  
There ain't no one to love a weary heart

There ain't no joy in this heart of mine  
There ain't no sunshine, it's raining all the time  
There's only worries and troubles on my mind  
There ain't no joy in this heart of mine

When I die who will mourn for me?  
Who will pray for a troubled soul set free?  
Will I find joy eternally?  
When I die who will mourn for me?

There ain't no joy in this heart of mine  
There ain't no sunshine, it's raining all the time  
There's only worries and troubles on my mind  
There ain't no joy in this heart of mine

There ain't no joy in this heart of mine

