

The Bottle Let Me Down
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Each night I leave the barroom when it's over
Not feeling any pain at closing time ^{G7}
But tonight you memory found me much too sober
Couldn't drink enough to keep you off my mind ^C

Tonight the bottle let down
And let you memory come around ^{G7}
The one true friend I thought I'd found
Tonight the bottle let down ^C

I've always had a bottle I could turn to
And lately I've been turning everyday ^{G7}
But the wind don't take effect the way it used to
And I'm hurting in an old familiar way ^C