

# **THESE BLUES ARE MINE**

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**It was so good, we had some fun  
Now it's over, it's done  
Though our time was not long  
You took my soul, now leave my song**

**Now I know why a caged bird sings  
Broken hearted, broken wings  
Our love turned out wrong  
You took my soul, now leave my song**

**Those blues are mine, I need to use 'em  
These blues are mine, I didn't choose 'em  
You haven't paid the same dues  
Haven't walked in my shoes  
These blues are mine, all mine**

**I been your friend, I been your slave  
I'll always love you until my grave  
My love was so strong  
You took my soul, now leave my song**

**Those blues are mine, I need to use 'em  
These blues are mine, I didn't choose 'em  
You haven't paid the same dues  
Haven't walked in my shoes  
These blues are mine, all mine**

**Mine, all mine  
These blues are mine, all mine  
These blues are mine, all mine  
All mine, these blues are mine  
These blues are mine  
I need to use 'em  
These are mine, I did not choose 'em  
You haven't paid the same dues  
Haven't walked a mile in my shoes  
These blues are mine, all mine**

**I know why caged bird sings  
Broken hearted, broken wings  
I know why, I know why caged bird sings  
Broken hearted, broken wings . . .**