

You Can't Hurry Love

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I need love, love to ease my mind. And I need to
find time, someone to call mine. My Mama
said:

“You can't hurry love, no, you just have to wait. She said:

“Love don't come easy But it's a game of give and take. You

can't hurry love., no, you just have to wait. Just
trust on a good time, no matter how long it takes.”

How many heartaches must I stand before I
find the love to let me live again? Right now the
only thing, that keeps me hangin' on when I
feel my strength. Oh, it's almost gone. I remember Mama said:

“You can't hurry love. No you just have to wait
She said: Love don't come easy but it's a game of give and take
How long must I wait? How much more must I take
Before loneliness will 'cause my heart, heart to break?”

No one can bear to live a life alone. I grow
impatient for a love to call my own. But when I
feel that I, I can't go on. Well these
precious words keep me hangin' on. I remember Mama
said

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Love don't come easy But it's a game of give and take. You
can't hurry love., no, you just have to wait. Just
trust on a good time, no matter how long it takes.” Now break!

Now love, love don't come easy. But I keep on waiting, antici pating for that
soft voice to talk to me at night For some tender arms to hold me tight. I keep
waiting, oh 'til that day, But it ain't easy, no, you know it ain't easy. My Mama