

Same Love by Macklemore & Ryan Lewis

When I was in the third grade

I thought that I was gay

'Cause I could draw, my uncle was

And I kept my room straight

I told my mom

Tears rushing down my face

She's like, Ben you've loved girls since before pre-K

Tripping

Yeah, I guess she had a point, didn't she

A bunch of stereotypes all in my head

I remember doing the math like, yeah

I'm good at little league

A pre-conceived idea of what it all meant

For those that like the same sex

Had the characteristics

The right-wing conservatives

Think it's a decision

And you can be cured

With some treatment and religion

Man-made, (1)______ of a pre-disposition

Playing God

Oh no, here we go

America the brave

Still (2)_____ what we don't know

And God loves all his children

It's somehow forgotten

But we paraphrase a book written

Thirty five hundred years ago

I don't know



And I can't change

Even if I tried

...

Even if I wanted to
And I can't change
Even if I tried
Even if I wanted to
My love, my love, my love
She keeps me warm
If I was gay
I would think hip-hop hates me
Have you read the YouTube comments lately
Man that's gay
Gets (3) on the daily
We've become so numb to what we're saying
Our culture founded from oppression
Yet we don't have acceptance for them
Call each other faggots
Behind the keys of a message board
A word rooted in hate
Yet our genre still ignores it
Gay is (4) with the lesser
It's the same hate that's caused wars from religion
Gender to skin color
A complexion of your pigment
The same fight that led people to walk-outs and sit-ins
There's human rights for everybody

Fill in the gaps



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Live on

And be yourself

When I was in church they taught me something else

If you preach hate at the service

Those words aren't anointed

And that Holy Water

That you soak in is then poisoned

When everyone else is more comfortable

Remaining voiceless rather than fighting for humans

That have had their rights stolen

I might not be the same

But that's not important

No freedom till we're equal

Damn right I support it

I don't know

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Even if I tried

Even if I wanted to

My love, my love, my love

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We press play

Don't press pause

Progress, march on

With a veil over our eyes

We turn our back on the cause

Till the day that my (5)_____ can be united by law



Kids are walking around the hallway

Plagued by pain in their heart

A world so hateful

Some would rather die than be who they are

And a certificate on paper

Isn't gonna solve it all

But it's a damn good place to start

No law's gonna change us

We have to change us

Whatever god you (6)_____ in

We come from the (7)_____ one

Strip away the fear

Underneath it's all the same love

About time that we (8)_____ up

And I can't change

Even if I tried

Even if I wanted to

And I can't change

Even if I tried

Even if I wanted to

My love, my love, my love

She keeps me warm

She (9)_____ me warm

She keeps me warm

She keeps me warm

Love is patient, love is kind

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Love is patient (not crying on Sundays)

Love is kind (not crying on Sundays)

Love is patient (not crying on Sundays)

Fill in the gaps



Love is kind (not crying on Sundays)

Love is (10)_____ (not crying on Sundays)

Love is kind (not crying on Sundays)

Love is patient (not crying on Sundays)

Love is kind (not crying on Sundays)



- 1. rewiring
- 2. fears
- 3. dropped
- 4. synonymous
- 5. uncles
- 6. believe
- 7. same
- 8. raised
- 9. keeps
- 10. patient

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