

Hard Ain't It Hard

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Chorus :

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Hard, ain't it hard, ain't it hard, babe
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To love one who never will love you
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Hard, ain't it hard, ain't it hard, babe
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To love one who never will be true

There is a house in this old town
That's where my true love lives around
He takes other women right down on his knee
And he tells them a little Tale he won't tell me now let me

Chorus

First time I've seen my true love
He was walkin' by my door
Last time I've seen his false hearted smile
He was dead on his cooling board

Chorus

Don't go to drinkin' and gambling
Don't go there your sorrows to down
That hard-liquor place is a low-down disgrace
It's the meanest damn place in this town

Chorus

Well who's gonna kiss your ruby lips
Who's gonna hold you to their breast
And who will talk your future over
While I'm rambling in the west

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