

The Love You Save (*May Be Your Own*) by Joe Tex in 1966 (3rd)

Intro: C – F – C – G

Verse 1:

 C F
People, I've been misled, and I've been afraid

C F
I've been hit in the head, and left for dead

 C F
I've been abused, and I've been accused

 C F
I've been refused, a piece of bread

Chorus:

 C F
But I ain't never, in my life before

 C F
Seen so many love affairs, go wrong as I do today

 C (Stop) F
I want you to STOP, find out what's wrong

 C F
Get it right, or just leave love alone

Bridge:

 D G F C
Because the love you save today, may very well be your own

Break: G – G – G (Listen to me...)

Verse 2:

I've been pushed around, I've been lost and found
I've been given til sundown, to get out of town
I've been taken outside, and I've been brutalized
And I had to always be the one to smile and apologize

Chorus:

But I ain't never, in my life before
Seen so many love affairs, go wrong as I do today
Ooo ooo so STOP, find out what's wrong
Get it right, or please leave love alone

Bridge:

Because the love you save today, may very well be your own