[Verse 1]

White room, soft light

I knew every face in sight

Grandma’s laugh, my brother’s grin

Arms wide open, pulling me in

They looked young, they looked free

Like they’d been waiting there for me

Every worry just washed away

I could’ve stayed, I could’ve stayed

[Chorus]

But it’s not my time yet

I heard it like a thunder in my chest

Love was calling me to rest

But another love was waiting back in the mess

I said, “Hold me once more, don’t forget

If I turn and walk through that door

I’ll carry you inside every breath”

They smiled and said, “It’s not your time yet”

[Verse 2]

We didn’t talk, we just knew

Every word I’d wished I said came true

In one long look, in one long tear

They wiped it from my cheek, pulled me near

I felt peace, I felt home

No more fear of being alone

Then a distant voice cut through the glow

“You can’t stay, you have to go”

[Chorus]

‘Cause it’s not your time yet

I heard it like a thunder in my chest

Love was calling me to rest

But another love was waiting back in the mess

I said, “Hold me once more, don’t forget

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[Bridge]

I fell like a stone through the dark, through the air (oh)

Woke up to the cold and the wires and the stares

But I kept that room, that light, that touch

When I close my eyes, I can feel it enough

[Chorus]

It was not my time yet

So I’m living like every day’s a second chance

Every heartbeat, every breath

Is a borrowed song from a world I can’t forget

When I’m tired and I’m drowning in regret

I hear them on the other side of regret

“Carry on, don’t you ever forget

We’ll be waiting when it’s really your time yet”