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Heartless

Suggested A-list Recording and Performing Female Artist(s):

Barbara Streisand, Lara Fabian or Celine Dion

Note: This song may be sung as a duet either in English or French with a male and female vocalist.

Suggested Male Vocalist(s) for an English duet: Andrea Bocelli, Josh Groban, etc. Suggested Male

Vocalist(s) for a French duet: Daniel Lavoie or Garou, etc.

This song may also be performed and recorded by the duo Jonathan and Charlotte.

Verse 1

On one hand, we are told
Change is inevitable, the constant we count on
Things never staying the same

On the other hand, we are told
Nothing changes; everything is constant
Things always remain as they were, ever the same

Paradoxically, they say
It's the same old, same old, day-after-day
Today, exactly as it was, yesterday, for you and me

But, how on earth does one live, heartless, without any heart?
I do not, cannot see the logic in that terrible thought

Chorus

One's soul may be sold
One's heart may be made of gold

This heart needs to beat to stay alive
You were my reason for living, my aching, bleeding heart

When suddenly, I awakened to this dream
A wakeful, life-long, slumber, sleeping it would seem

The nightmare where monsters, pretending to be sweet
Are wolves disguised in sheep's clothing, standing right in front of me!

Poised, ready to devour this living, beating heart
Heartless, deprives the gift of living, let alone having a decent life

No chance for new beginnings, never possibility of a brand new start
How on earth can one continue living with a shattered, broken heart?

You were and are my life!
I loved you, then, I love you, still!

Bridge 1

A dilemma to resolve
Another problem to be solved
Their solution; set us on our merry way

Heartless, they say, that's the stuff of life!

Feelings must be swept under the rug, today
Hidden, maybe, to be addressed another day

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Let's turn the page, again
Write a new beginning
Then, let it all end

Pick ourselves up, once again, and make that improbable brand new start!

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Verse 2

Today is an old day
With an old ending
In an old life

With an old manner of seeing things
With an old way of thinking about life
With an old fashioned way of doing things

We can't possibly stay like this for life

Tomorrow is a new day
With a new beginning
In a brand new life

With a new manner of seeing things
With a new way of thinking about life
With a new-fashioned way of doing things

We're, absolutely, going to continue like this for life

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Bridge 2

Now that I've awakened
The nightmare's, finally, through

In the quiet calm of daybreak, I feel a faintly beating heart

Now that I'm awoken
I can hear and see it, too

It's your heart and my heart, still, beating, ever true!

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I suppose, like the song says, and I always will!