## **Only Sixteen**

## Sam Cooke

She was only sixteen, only sixteen But I loved her so She was too young to fall in love And I was too young to knowWe'd laugh and we'd sing And do the little things That made my heart glow But she was too young to fall in love And I was too young to know Why did I give my heart so fast It never will happen again But I was a mere lad of sixteen I've aged a year since thenShe was only sixteen, only sixteen With eyes that would glow But she was too young to fall in love And I was too young to know(But why did you give your heart so fast?) Boy, it never will happen again (But you were a mere lad of sixteen) I've aged a year since then She was only sixteen, only sixteen With eyes that would glow But she was too young to fall in love And I was too young to know She was too young to fall in love And I was too young to know

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