

Miss Saigon, I Still Believe

KIM

last night I watched him sleeping
my body pressed to him
and then he started speaking
the name I heard him speak...was Kim
yes I know that this was years ago
but when moonlight fills my room I know
you are here... still

I still

I still believe
you will return
I know you will
my heart
against all odds
holds still
yes, still

I still believe

I know as long as I can keep believing, I'll live
I'll live

love cannot die

you will return

you will return

and I alone know why

(in a bedroom on the other side of the world, in America. A woman is sitting beside CHRIS who is sleeping. She is ELLEN, CHRIS' s wife)

ELLEN

last night I watched you sleeping
once more, the nightmare came
I heard you cry out something
a word that sounded like... a name
and it hurts me more than I can bear
knowing part of you I'll never share
never know

but still

I still believe
the time will come
when nothing keeps us apart
my heart, forever more
holds still

(CHRIS wakes up from his sleep with a cry. ELLEN takes him in her arms and calms him)

ELLEN

it' s all over, I' m here
there is nothing to fear
Chris, what' s haunting you?
won' t you let me inside
what you so want to hide!
I need you too!

KIM ELLEN

for still I will hold you all night, I will make
[it all right

I still believe you are safe with me
as long as I and I wish you could tell what you don't
[want to tell

can keep believing, I'll live what your hell must be
I'll live you can sleep now

you will return you can cry now
and I know why I'm your wife now

I'm yours for life

until we die until we die