

Donor You Loved

A parody of Lewis Capaldi's 'Someone You Loved' for Fundraising Everywhere Festival 2020

I gave you money but I never heard another thing from you
I know it got there cos the bank have told me that it has gone through
I answered to your appeal
You said that we'd change the world
I wanted to help
But then it unfurled
You sent a receipt
But it's just not the same
I guess I kinda need to know that I've made a change

Now the post comes
And another call
Asking me to give
Feel like a hole in the wall
I send my cash in
And then you pull the rug
I was kinda hoping I could be a donor you loved

You're keen to tell me how your charity is truly amazing
It's all about you, like your donors haven't achieved a damn thing
I'm really not vain
Don't need a trophy
But it's nice to know
That you've noticed me
Don't know what to say, I don't want to sound mean
I guess I kinda like feeling like part of your team

Now the post comes
You need my help again
But you're treating me
Just like an ATM
I send my cash in
And then you pull the rug
I was kinda hoping I could be a donor you loved

And I try to close my eyes to the comms I despise
and focus on the
Good things you do with the cash, though you treat me like trash

And now the post comes
What does this one say?
“We Need your money
It’s Giving Tuesday”
I put my wallet down
And then I pull the plug
I guess I'm never gonna be a donor you love

And now the post comes
It’s Giving Tuesday
You haven’t given yet
Please hurry up and pay
I put my wallet down
And then I pull the plug
I guess I'm never gonna be a donor you love

I put my wallet down
And then I pull the plug
I guess I'm never gonna be a donor you love