

You said you'd be here at a quarter to five  
I didn't know if you were dead or alive  
How long you think that I can sharpen my knife  
I've got better things to do with my life

It's almost the deadline  
Don't miss the deadline, darling  
When all your bad dreams will come true

Don't miss the deadline  
It's almost the deadline, darling  
I wouldn't want it to happen to you

Phil screamed at him, and he hung up the phone  
I wonder if he ever felt more alone  
He never finished his coffee that night  
The photo they showed david was a terrible sight

He missed the deadline  
He passed the deadline, darling  
And I believe that somehow he knew

He crossed the deadline  
He passed the deadline, darling  
There wasn't a thing anybody could do

Listen my darling, now, don't play with fire  
You find a way to balance faith and desire

It's almost the deadline  
Don't miss the deadline darling  
Consequences are easily misconstrued

Don't miss the deadline  
It's almost the deadline, darling  
I couldn't live if it happened to you