You Broke A Beautiful Thing

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Like a child acting so carelessly You destroyed something you just didn't see I'm not angry How could I be angry with a child?

You broke a beautiful thing And it won't ever mend

Thoughtless child
All wrapped up in the shape of a man
I tried so hard to get you to understand
I'm so sorry
Why am I always the one saying sorry
Like a mother does for a child?

You broke a beautiful thing
And it won't ever mend
I'll never have the pieces again

I hate the way I keep losing things And I hate the way when I lose something I never seem to find it again

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