

## Ever

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I've been racing for you honey  
But you take your love  
From under my feet  
The very moment I arrive  
I hold the invitation in my hand  
You smile and I don't understand  
When you tell me the writing ain't yours  
You were the one thing I could count on  
Even if your apathy was what I expected  
Oh darling I waited and waited to feel your footsteps  
And to hear your breath  
But maybe I just wanted someone to wait for

You were ever in my mind  
You were behind my soul each time  
I held it to the flame  
You were ever in my precious thoughts  
I'd leave a room of angels  
Just to be alone  
If only to say your name  
I never told you I needed you darling  
Like a rose needs the rain  
How could you possibly know how much  
So I reach for your love  
Like the moon and the stars  
Ever in my sight  
Ever out of touch

There's a spotlight of a holy kind  
Think it comes from somewhere  
Up in the sky or from some far off lovely place  
But this light never ever ever shone on me  
At least as far as I could see  
So I sat in the dark and I watched you  
Now I just cry to myself  
When there's no one around  
And I teach myself to walk backwards  
Out of any given situation  
Yes I can be graceful and try  
Not to step on my train and  
You don't have to say goodbye  
But I'll be right here if you want to

Now I could paint your portrait  
If I never saw you again  
When I am old someone may ask me  
If I ever loved  
And I will speak but they won't recognize  
My words, they'll say I'm telling lies  
And maybe I am  
Maybe I am  
All I know is