

# Harder To Leave A Friend Than A Lover

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I come to you  
As an act of faith  
Please convince me that I'm wrong  
When I say we don't belong  
And its not too late

I sense the call  
From your soul to mine  
Is it meant to hurt this way  
Every hour, every day  
It steals our time

And it all comes clear  
As if the moment draws near

That its harder to leave a friend than a lover  
All the dreams that you have built  
Leaves you with a sense of guilt  
In the eyes of the other

So hear we stand  
A stubborn woman, a stubborn man  
Is it worth to carry on  
Is it time we moved along  
Have we done all we can?

And the damage done  
Oh, can we overcome

'Cause its harder to leave a friend than a lover  
You might love the way you touch  
But it will never mean as much  
As when you care for each other

Is it all we can say?  
We never wanted it this way

'Cause its harder to leave a friend than a lover  
The wounds will run so deep  
And the friendship that you keep  
Will never recover

Yeah, its harder to leave a friend than a lover  
When you know someone so well  
You would rather walk through hell  
Before you hurt one another