

# Tearing Me Up Inside

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I've been walking in circles  
Watching you everyday  
I've been taking every care  
Not to scare you away  
I've made you my friend  
You've put your trust in me  
I'm a shoulder to cry on  
Whenever you're in need

I've been reading your ways  
Looking for a sign  
Is there any chance at all  
That I can make you mine  
Well I've come this far  
but there's a longer way to go  
My chances look slim  
But soon I will know

It's tearing me up inside  
Holding back for you  
Feelings are hard to hide  
They're 'bout to slip right through  
It's tearing me up inside  
I don't know what to do  
I know I'll lose this fight  
How can I let you know

I've been trying lately  
To show you a secret way  
I reached out to touch you gently  
Stricken by your grace  
I just hope that you see  
And help me brake this pain  
If I lose you by telling  
It's all been in vain

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How can I let you know ohoh

There was a time before when I thought I was brave  
But now I'm here with you I shiver and I shake  
I fight the words of love and it all comes crashing down  
I close my eyes  
I let them go  
I have to let you know

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They're 'bout to slip right through ooh  
It's tearing me up inside

I don't know what to do  
I know I'll lose this fight  
How can I let you know that  
It's tearing me up insiiiiide

Oh  
It's tearing me up inside  
I don't know what to do  
I know I'll lose this fight  
How can I let you know ohohoh