

# The Same Old Story

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Now it's the same old story and the same old stage  
Though the cast is different and you're looking at a  
Different page  
All the lines seem familiar as you try to memorize your  
Part  
And when you finally meet the lady you know she's gonna  
Break your heart

Now it's the same old story though you approach it from  
A different place  
And the lady is lovely, she wears such a beautiful face

And though you try hard to stop it, you feel the  
Hopless situation start  
You're in love with the lady and you know she's gonna  
Break your heart

It's the same old story  
Just read between the lines  
Your heart will end up broken  
And you'll tell your self that love is just a state of  
Mind

Well it's the same old story and you know just how it's  
Gonna end  
You're gonna wind up losing so there's no reason to

Pretend  
But you go through the motions and you tell her that  
You'll never part  
You say your love will last forever but you know she's  
Gonna break your heart

And though you try hard to stop it, you feel the  
Hopless situation start  
You're in love with the lady and you know she's gonna  
Break your heart  
Well you know she's gonna break your heart  
You know she's gonna break your heart  
You know she's gonna break your heart

It's the same old story  
You tell her that you'll never, never part  
You're in love with the lady but you know she's gonna  
Break your heart

It's the same old story  
I do I do I do remember all those lonely nights  
Sittin' and thinkin' on a cold and empty stage  
It's the same old story...