

# Don't Want to Be a Fool

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Love, what have you done  
Oh wow  
I was sure up til now that she was a friend  
I stayed til the end  
(Don't be a fool again)  
I once believed that love was fair  
But I don't anymore  
She said I'm a bore  
My heart hit the floor  
(don't be a fool again)

Each time around I tell myself  
It's the game of love  
Ignore the signs and risk it all  
In the name of love  
Well i've decided I can't let nobody hurt me again  
So I'll say it til the end  
I just don't want to be a fool  
(don't want to be a fool)  
Said I don't want to be a fool ever again

Whenever a fool's in love  
He doesn't know he's to blame  
He's caught in the game  
It all ends up the same  
(he doesn't feel the shame)  
He looks at love in a different way  
It breaks his heart everytime  
They all turn estranged  
But he'll never change  
(he's never going to change)

Next time around I'll tell myself  
It'll be better than before  
I won't look back  
There'll be no one tearing my heart out anymore  
I've just decided I can't let nobody fool me again  
So I'll swear til the end  
I just don't want to be a fool  
(don't want to be a fool)  
Said I don't want to be a fool  
Ever again

(no way)  
I mean no more  
Never again  
Ooh no never  
Can't be  
No way  
No way, no way  
Ooh, I don't want to be  
I don't want to be a fool no

(I can't love anybody walking on a one way street  
Anyway, anyway, anyway  
If I don't find somebody  
That'll be alright with me

I know, I know, it'll be alright now  
'cause I decided not to let nobody hurt me again  
So I'll say it til the end  
I just don't want to be a fool  
Said I don't want to be a fool  
Never, never again  
(Don't want to be a fool)  
Can't be a fool  
(Don't want to be a fool)  
Never again.