

# Leavin'

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They say that love is a 2 way street  
But you can't prove that by me  
Lately, it just seems like I'm headed down  
Lonely, one lane highway

Well, it's the same ol' same ol'  
It's not like I haven't been here  
A thousand times before  
But this time, it's different  
'Coz this time I'm not takin' it anymore

(Hey)  
I'm leavin'  
(Hey)  
This time it's for good  
You should've treated me  
The way you said you would

(Hey)  
I'm leavin'  
(Hey)  
And you can't make me stay  
I'm tired of bein' hurt  
And it ain't no good anyway

Now, I know it's gonna be hard on you  
Once it hits you that I'm gone  
And all those pretty things  
That you bought for me, you can keep it  
'Coz they don't make up  
For the damage that you've done

Oh, you'll be alright, you'll be fine  
It just won't be today  
And as for me, I'm doin' better already  
But what a hell of a price to pay

(Hey, hey)  
I'm leavin'  
(Hey)  
And this time it's for good  
You never treated me  
The way you said you would

(Hey, hey)  
I'm leavin', baby  
(Hey)  
And you can't make me stay  
I'm tired of being hurt  
And it ain't no good  
It ain't no good anyway

(Hurts me so)  
When it's 4 o'clock in the mornin'  
(Sad to go)  
And my bags are packed and ready to go  
Don't know what I was thinkin'

But I should have left you a long time ago

(Hurts me so)  
And thought it hurts me, baby  
(Sad to go)  
Nothin's gonna make me stay  
And I'm tired, tired of hurtin' anyway

Love ain't supposed to hurt  
That's right  
You got to know your worth  
(And I finally believe I'm worth a lot)  
You're not the first and you probably  
Won't be the last  
(It hurts so much inside)

You're not the one to blame  
(Hurts me so)  
(And I try not to blame myself)  
But you gotta get over the shame  
(Sad to go)  
(But oh, you don't know)  
Take a good look  
You know you're never comin' back  
(No, never, no, never)

(Hey)  
This time it's for good  
(Hey)  
You never treated me  
The way you said you would  
And I'm leavin', baby, bye bye