

# Far Away

Robert Cray

I looked far away  
I looked way into the future  
What I saw was you not here with me

And when I looked inside for an answer, honey  
I just knew that I had to be free

What I have to say  
What I have to say I know will hurt you  
After years of love  
It's hard to understand

No, that I'm not leavin' for anyone else, honey  
I need to know just who I am

If it's all right with you  
I'll just excuse myself

Gather up my things  
Leave the keys on the shelf  
I'll come back in the morning  
When the kids awake

To tell them daddy had to go away

I'm going far away  
Nothing lasts forever  
I'm going far from where I used to be  
I remember that young couple at the chapel  
It all seems like a dream to me

I!  
I didn't know myself  
Never knew myself when I met you  
And even now must seem like a crime

You know that I promised to love you forever  
It's just forever ran out of time

So if it's all right with you  
I'll just excuse myself

I'll just gather my things  
The keys are on the shelf

I'll come 'round in the morning  
When the kids awake

Ohhh!  
To tell them daddy had to go away

Hmmmmmmmm

I never knew myself

Mmmmmmmmmmmmm

Know that I wanna

Mmmmmmmmm

I'm gonna walk on  
Far away

Ohhh, heyyyyy!

Mmmmmmm

Mmmm

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Mmmmmmmmm

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[whistling]

Mmmmmmm

Going far away

I need to know who I am

Heyyyyyy!

Mmmmmmmmmmm