

## The Actress

Roy Orbison

Well you should be an actress  
You play your part so well  
Your act is so believable  
That no one else can tell

You say the lines, but I see  
That you don't really love me

You keep me around to be your faithful clown  
Till someone you can love comes along  
You'll keep on pretending  
Because the show must go on

Yes, you should be an actress  
As lovely as you are  
The way you play on emotion  
You'd shame the brightest star

You're acting all the time  
No, you're not really mine

I'm just another scene in your play acting scheme  
No, you don't love me at all  
But when you walk away  
That's when the curtain will fall

But I'll go all the way to the end of the play  
I'll be a part of your masquerade  
Although I know it may be the saddest show  
In the life of a fool on parade