

# She Said, He Heard

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They sat at the table, polite conversation  
Avoiding the issue at hand  
Then he made the coffee and she did the dishes  
And sat down at the table again  
She waited a moment hoping he would speak first  
Though it never had happened before  
He sat there in silence expecting the worst  
Til she couldn't wait anymore

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He heard "I'm leaving"  
She said "I need your attention"  
He heard "I want you to crawl"  
She said "I'm sad"  
He heard "It's all your fault"  
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She said "I love you" thats not the problem  
And I know how much you care  
But for too long now we've been walking on eggshells  
I just had to clear the air  
He looked at her like she was speaking chinese  
With some of the letters left out  
Try as he may he just didn't know  
What she was talking about

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Then he started smiling  
And she started laughing  
They both reached out their hands  
She said "I think we're from two different planet  
No wonder we misunderstand"

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