

# Take the Time

## Michael English

Each of us has come here  
With a story of our own  
But we wait in restless silence  
So no one ever knowsThere is one who sits in loneliness  
On the edge of despair  
While another person longs to love  
With so much life to shareSomeone cannot feel the warmth of love  
Through a wall that's built with time  
Being burned so often  
Makes the heart as cold as iceThere's somebody hurting  
From a wound that doesn't heal  
And the touch of human hands  
Could bring a comfort that is realWhich one are you  
Which one are you near  
Can you reach across the emptiness  
Can you grasp the heart of someone hereTake the time to love somebody  
Oh, take the time to show someone you care  
Will you have another chance to be  
An answer to a prayer, take the timeWe come from different places  
And the pain has different names  
With different circumstances  
But the feelings are the sameIf we let down our defenses  
And we tear down all the walls  
In the center of our souls we find  
No differences at allWhich one are you  
Which one are you near  
Can you reach across the emptiness  
Can you grasp the heart of someone hereTake the time to love somebody  
Oh, take the time to show someone you care  
Will you have another chance to be  
An answer to a prayer, take the timeThere's a time when only you will know  
When the Spirit speaks within your soul  
Dare to reach beyond yourself and let love goOh, take the time to love somebody  
Oh, take the time, hey, to show someone you care  
Will you have another chance to be  
An answer to a prayer, takeTake the time to love somebody  
Oh, take the time to show someone you care  
Will you have another chance to be  
An answer to a prayer, takeTake the time to love somebody

Come on and take the time  
Show someone you care  
Will you have another chance to be  
An answer to a prayer, takeOh, take the time to love somebody  
Oh, take the time to show someone you care

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