Cruel to Be Kind

Letters to Cleo

Oh, I can't take another heartache Though you say, you're my friend

I'm at my wits end

You say, your love is bona fideBut that don't coincide

With the things that you're doing

When I ask you to be nice

You say, you gotta beCruel to be kind in the right measure

Cruel to be kind it's a very good sign

Cruel to be kind means that I love you

Baby, you gotta be cruel to be kindWell, I do my best to understand dear

But you still mystify and I wanna know why

I pick myself up off the ground

To have you knock me back downAgain and again

And when I ask you to explain

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Baby, you gotta be cruel to be kind

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(You gotta be cruel)Cruel to be kind in the right measure

(Cruel to be kind)

Cruel to be kind it's a very, very, very good sign

(Cruel to be kind)

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