

# Shake

## Rose Cousins

Don't leave me is all I hear you say  
Somehow it keeps me from all of the plans that I made  
Your promises sparkle; I tell myself not to believe  
The things that I want lose out to what I need

### Chorus

Time does not waste itself  
A dream cannot wake itself  
The truth cannot disgrace itself  
An unwritten prayer cannot save a lost soul  
Arms cannot embrace themselves  
A heart cannot break itself  
And I cannot shake myself from you

We both know there's only so much a person can take  
Only so far you can reach; only so long you can carry that weight  
So some of us learn how to live with what we know we can't fix  
So we walk tall and act proud; pretend that it's better than it is

### Chorus (twice)

Don't leave me is all I hear myself say  
As you persuade me to throw the rest of my life away

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