

# If You Only Knew

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So here you are again  
Standing at my door  
You know I'll understand  
Well, that's what friends are for  
What's he done this time?  
What did he say  
To make you so darn mad?  
That you're running away  
Now you say you want to be  
Like me independent and free  
But if you only knew  
What a single girl goes through  
The long working days and the lonely nights  
The empty I love you's  
Oh, if you only knew what it's like to be alone  
You'd put your anger down  
Turn around and go back home  
My life looks good to you  
I'm always in control  
No one to answer to  
But no one there to hold  
You see in my eyes you are the lucky one  
With loving arms that you can lean upon  
I'd give anything I could to save  
What you're throwing away  
'Cause if you only knew  
What a single girl goes through  
The long working days and the lonely nights  
The empty I love you's  
Oh, if you only knew what it's like to be alone  
You'd put your anger down  
Turn around and go back home  
I know it's hard to face  
That love ain't perfect everyday  
But I know a hundred girls  
Who would gladly take your place  
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