

Don't Explain

Abbey Lincoln

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Just say you remain
I'm glad you're back
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You're my joy and pain
Skip that lipstick
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And what loving does
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And I know you cheat
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