

# Blues Before Sunrise

**John Lee Hooker**

I have the blues before sunrise, tears standing in my eyes

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It was a miserable feeling now, babe, a feeling I do despise  
I have to leave, leave you, baby, because you know  
you done me wrong

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I'm gonna pack up and leave you, darling, and break up my happy home  
I have to leave, leave you, baby--I'm  
gonna leave you all alone

I'm gonna leave you, baby--I'm gonna leave you all alone

I'm gonna pack up and leave you, darling, because you know you done me wrong  
Well, now goodbye, goodbye,  
baby; I'll see you on some rainy day

Well, now goodbye, baby; I'll see you on some rainy day

You can go ahead now, little darling, 'cause I want you to have your way

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