

# Only a Lonely Heart Knows

**Barbara Mandrell**

Life holds no fascination  
Without you here with me  
Each hour's eternityAnd friends are small consolation  
Talk doesn't ease the pain  
The hurt can't be explainedOnly a lonely heart knows  
How the memory cuts like a knife  
Since you walked out of my life  
I'm half crazy day and nightAnd only a lonely heart knows  
How the heartache, it grows and grows  
Oh, how long does it take till the heartache goes?  
Only a lonely, only a lonely heart knowsTime is a friend and an enemy  
In time the hurt might end  
Till then the walls close inI'm so lost, I'm numbed by your leaving me  
I sit alone and stare  
You don't know till you've been thereAnd only a lonely heart knows  
How the memory cuts like a knife  
Since you walked out of my life  
I'm half crazy day and nightAnd only a lonely heart knows  
How the heartache, it grows and grows  
Oh, how long does it take till the heartache goes?  
Only a lonely, only a lonely heart knowsTell me how long does it take till the heartache goes?  
Only a lonely, only a lonely  
Yes, only a lonely, only a lonely heart knows

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