

# Sometimes I Just Have To Say Your Name

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With the sweet drip of every raindrop  
Time brings you closer to me  
And with each new sign, at every train stop  
Another hour without you is consigned to history  
And with each tick of my alarm clock  
I get crazy for the days to get to you  
When I can hold you and kiss you and have you  
Instead of staring at some photo like a fool  
But as day turns to night  
There's this hopelessness to fight  
When I think that  
I might not make it through  
But honey  
Sometimes I just have to say your name  
To hear it hanging in the air  
To know it sounds the same  
And sometimes when I'm blue  
I know just what to do  
To keep the blues at bay  
You know, I only have to say your name  
So this morning I picked up the paper  
In the useless descent of the rain  
While partners in heart break the whole world over  
Lie and cheat just the same  
And the headlines proclaim everything has changed  
Love can't save you now  
As each little motion of my wristwatch  
Holds up my faith somehow  
But as day turns to night  
There's this hopelessness to fight  
When I think that  
I might not make it through  
But honey  
Sometimes I just have to say your name  
To hear it hanging in the air  
To know it sounds the same  
And sometimes when I'm blue  
I know just what to do  
To keep the blues at bay  
You know, I only have to say your name  
When I've used up all my patience  
When your letters have been read  
Twenty times through  
I can drink all the wine in this place of mine  
But it ain't no replacement  
It ain't no replacement for you

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