

# Make Love Stay

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Now that we love  
Now that the lonely nights are over  
How do we make love stay? Now that we know  
The fire can burn bright or merely smolder  
How do we keep it from dying away? Elusive as dreams  
Barely remembered in the morning  
Love like a phantom flies But held in the heart  
It pales like the empty smile adorning  
A statue with sightless eyes Moments fleet, taste sweet within the rapture  
When precious flesh is greedily consumed  
But mystery is a thing not easily captured  
And once deceased not easily exhumed Now that we love  
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How do we make love stay? Moments fleet, taste so sweet within the rapture  
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But mystery's a thing not easily captured  
And once deceased not easily exhumed Now that we loved  
Look at the moonless night and tell me  
How do we make love stay?

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