

# A Hard Secret To Keep

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I stay up late and read a lot at night  
Lately she's begun to wonder why  
She don't know I'm scared that I'll start talking in my sleep  
You're a hard secret to keep And every time she asks me where I've been  
A cheaters paranoia begins  
Scrambling for an answer anything she might believe  
You're a hard secret to keep One slip of the tongue's all it would take  
Just one little note that I forgot to throw away  
The slightest trace of make-up on a shirt that won't come clean  
You're a hard secret to keep I never meant for you to touch my heart  
I never meant to take one night this far  
How much longer can I live this double life I lead?  
You're a hard secret to keep

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