

# Dear Ruby

Carmen McRae

Ruby, My Dear  
Hold back that tear  
I know he's gone  
Your love has flown  
You are all alone  
I know you cry  
There's no reply  
Pain lingers on  
It doesn't go  
?Cause you'll say so

One day he came to you  
Made the music play  
His way  
You said you'd rather die  
Than to say goodbye  
Than to say goodbye

But there'll come a day  
Though he's away  
You'll sing his song  
You'll carry on  
Ruby, My Dear

One day he came to you  
Made the music play  
His way  
You said you'd rather die  
Than to say goodbye

Ruby My Dear  
Dear Ruby  
Ruby My Dear  
Hold back that tear  
Ruby my Dear  
Dear Ruby  
Ruby my Dear  
Oooooo hold back the tear  
Ruby my Dear  
Your love has flown

Ruby my Dear  
You're all alone  
Oooooooooo  
I know you cry  
Ruby my Dear  
Oooooo There's no reply  
Ooooooooo Ruby  
My Dear  
Ruby my Dear  
Oooooooooo  
Ruby My Dear  
Oooooooooo  
Ruby My Dear  
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