

# Knowing When To Leave

**Burt Bacharach**

Go while the going is good  
Knowing when to leave may be the smartest thing anyone can learn  
Go I'm afraid my heart isn't very smart  
Fly while you still have your wings  
Knowing when to leave will never let you reach the point of no return  
Fly Foolish as it seems  
I still have my dreams  
So I keep hoping, day after day as I wait for the man I need  
Night after night as I wish for a love that can be  
Though I'm sure that no one can tell  
When a wish is a hope  
Somehow I feel there is happiness just waiting there for me  
When someone walks in your life  
You'd just better be sure he's right  
'Cause if he's wrong there's are heartaches and tears you must face  
Keep both of your eyes on the door and never let it get out of sight  
Just be prepared when the time has come, you run away

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