

# Won't You Stay

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Yeah this is the best part of the trip  
Hold on to something, hold on to something  
We about to take the road less travelled  
You ain't gotta go home, but you can't stay here  
Let's go I get lonelier each time  
You go away I lose my mind  
I lay awake til you come and make things right (yeah yeah)  
I get lonelier each time you go away (come on)  
So baby won't you stay with me tonight? (yeah) Check it out  
There's this lady I'm in love with (yes there is)  
Living inside this woman unknown  
But she's scared to let it show  
I know it sound like some bug shit (yeah it do)  
It's just she come with  
Hang-ups and  
Insecurities they gotta go  
She always nervous around me  
But see this lady inside  
She's ready to be my baby tonight  
And ever since this lady found me  
This woman think I'm dangerous  
And ain't ready to put her safety aside  
I try to tell her that I got her back  
And no matter where we at  
In our lives  
I'll treat her like she my girl  
I asked her "what's wrong with dat?" (what's wrong with dat?)  
She like "it just ain't right  
There's so many more women and men in the world"  
I have to admit the girl got a point (true)  
Maybe my ambition's made to make me want something I just can't have  
So now it's time for me to blow this joint  
I still know I'm in love  
I just stay focused  
And true to my path  
Word I get lonelier each time  
You go away I lose my mind  
I lay awake til you come and make things right (yeah yeah)  
I get lonelier each time you go away (uhh)

So baby won't you stay with me tonight? (yeah yeah) I got to get away

Ladies you ever felt growing away

By your man

Asking "baby, won't you stay?"

He chilling with his crew

He should be building with you

He got you feeling the blues

Cause the children to glue

He willing to do

Whatever it takes

To save 'em

From a fate he can't see when he misbehaving

Brave men don't let they ladies

Raise they children theyself

You're so busy trying to save 'em

That you you're killing yourself

With the

Stress and strife

And the fights and the advice

From the ladies of the night

Who can't run they own life

Up in your air

Nothing is fair

Why do you care?

Why do you always take it there?

The crying, the tears

You ain't prepared for the jewels

That I'm trying to share

Flying there

Dying inside

Hot in the fear

The writing is clear

On the wall

For you to read the sign

Ayo the fine is the way we design

To be fine

But still I get lonelier each time (i get so lonely)

You go away I lose my mind

I lay awake til you come and make things right

(mmm make it right, make it right, make it right)

I get lonelier each time you go away (la la la la la la la)

So baby won't you stay with me tonight? Gotta go, I gotta go, I gotta go

Gotta go, I gotta go, I gotta go

Gotta go, I gotta go, I gotta go

Gotta, gotta

Gotta go, I gotta go, I gotta go  
Gotta go, I gotta go, I gotta go  
Gotta go, I gotta go, I gotta go  
Gotta, gottaYo  
You can tell when people wanna spend they life together  
Despite the weather  
They treat each other like a treasure  
Can't fight forever  
You got to give it up  
I ain't got a lot of time  
We got to live it up  
I make my music like I make my love  
People use it like they take they drugs  
In the morning  
When they waking up  
This music got me out late but  
I holla at you when I'm done  
Don't stay up  
Will love play with us?  
It sting like paper cuts  
Doused in alcohol  
But if it's real  
They ain't no greater rush  
I got faith in us  
It's only you who really know me  
I be surrounded by people  
And still feel lonelySo baby won't you stay (why won't you stay?)  
Baby won't you stay? (why won't you stay?)  
Baby won't you stay with me tonight? (oh)  
Stay with me tonight  
Stay with me tonight  
Ohh  
Come on

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