

## **Burt Bacharach**

# **"The Sweetest Punch"**

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You only saw red  
After I said, "How can we continue?"  
Hidden from your view  
In the blue corner that I painted myself into

Then we started to fight  
And it changed everything  
Here's the ring

You dropped the band, I can't understand it  
Not after all we've been through  
Words start to fly, my glass jaw and I  
Will find one to walk right into

You knocked me out  
It was the sweetest punch  
The bell goes

I can hear it ringing  
But I didn't see it coming  
We all say things we don't mean  
You can't take it back

Now the room is spinning  
But was I the last to notice?  
I can see I'll never win

So if you're going  
Then you better go to him  
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I only saw stars  
I dropped my guard and that's how it ended  
What was I to do  
In the blue corner where I seemed to hang suspended?

Then with seconds to go  
You delivered the blow  
Here I go

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Not after all we've been through

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Will find one to walk right into

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