

## **Gilbert O'sullivan**

# **"Why Pretend"**

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Oh, everyone knows  
You're all alone  
So why pretend?

And everyone knows  
You're on your own  
Why not let it end?

Your baby's gone  
And you're all alone  
So why pretend?

Every time  
You're not at home  
You say that she's with you

Isn't it time  
You made it known  
That she isn't with you?

She's far away  
And there she will stay  
Oh, why pretend?

You didn't want her  
When her heart grew fonder  
Oh, of you by her side

You didn't love her  
So she found another  
Oh, why pretend?  
It's got to end

'Cos everyone knows  
You're all alone  
So why pretend?  
Why pretend? Hit it

You didn't want her  
When her heart grew fonder  
Oh, you by her side  
No, you didn't

You didn't love her  
So she found another  
Oh, why pretend?  
It's got to end

'Cos everyone knows  
You're all alone  
So why pretend?

And everyone knows  
That you're on your own  
Why not let it end?  
Do it

Your baby's gone  
And you're all alone  
Your baby's gone  
And you're on your own

Your baby's gone  
You're all alone  
So why pretend?  
Why pretend, baby?

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