

# John Denver

## "Goodbye Again"

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It's five o'clock this morning and the sun is on the rise  
There's frosting on the window pane and sorrow in your eyes  
The stars are fading quietly, night is nearly gone  
And so you turn away from me and tears begin to come

And it's goodbye again, I'm sorry to be leaving you  
Goodbye again, as if you didn't know  
It's goodbye again and I wish you could tell me  
Why do we always fight when I have to go?

It seems a shame to leave you now, the days are soft  
and warm  
I long to lay me down again and hold you in my arms  
I long to kiss the tears away, give you back the smile  
Other voices beckon me, and for a little while

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I have to go and see some friends of mine, some that I  
don't know  
Some who aren't familiar with my name  
It's something that's inside of me not hard to  
understand  
It's anyone who listens to me sing

If your hours are empty now, who am I to blame  
You think if I were always here, our love would be the  
same  
As it is the time we have, is worth the time alone  
Lying by your side, the greatest peace I've ever known

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