

# Lyle Lovett

## "She's Leaving Me Because She Really Wants To"

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Thank you my friend  
I sincerely appreciate the words you say  
About how she'll cry  
And how she'll grieve and miss me  
When she goes away

Say them again  
I need to hear the words once more  
I can't believe  
How she'll miss me when she's gone  
And how she'll want to come back home  
And never leave

But she's leaving me  
Because she really wants to  
And she'll be happy when she's gone  
She'll be happy  
She'll be so very happy  
She'll dance and sing  
Or even learn to fly  
And spend her time with anyone but me

What's that you say  
That I'll get over her the more that time goes by  
But time goes so slow  
When all I have to do is sit around and cry

No she won't be back  
I'd be a fool to try to fool myself that way  
I know she hasn't one regret  
Because she hasn't had one since  
The day she came to stay

She's leaving me  
Because she really wants to  
And she'll be happy when she's gone  
She'll be happy  
She'll be so very happy  
She'll dance and sing  
And even learn to fly  
And spend her time with anyone but me

She'll be happy when she's gone  
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