

## **The Carpenters**

# **"Goodbye & I Love You"**

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(see corrected lyrics in parentheses below)

I have something to tell you

And I know it won't be easy

I've been thinking these past few days

It might be time to leave

You're like a stranger

Then you're a lover

Never the same

Always hard to believe

(\*) I'm caught between goodbye and I love you

Never knowing quite where I stand

I'm caught between goodbye and I love you

Falling both ways nowhere to land

So constantly stranded

I can't understand it

(understand)

This double life you've handed me

Is like the devil and the deep blue sea

If we go on much longer

If my doubts grow any stronger

Then I may have to let you go

If only to survive

Give me a reason

Why should I stay here?  
(stay)

I've tried so hard

Just to keep love alive

Repeat (\*)

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