

## Gerry Beckley

### "Does He Know What He's Taken On"

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On the day you left I didn't know  
Which way to turn -- which way to go  
I felt so bad -- I cursed the day that I was born.

And even now I just can't stand  
To think of you with another man  
But does he know, does he really know  
What he's taken on?

I searched my soul, I wracked my brain  
At times I thought I'd go insane  
And every night I lay awake until the dawn.

Yes I was lost, I was confused  
But he's the one who's being used  
Yeah does he know, does he really know  
What he's taken on?

Now he might think he's got your love  
And that it came from God above  
Threw you a line -- he sowed the seeds  
He sees your beauty but I know your needs.

He believes that you're sincere  
When you say love ain't living here  
Yeah does he know -- does he really know  
What he's taken on?

Now he might think he's got your love  
And that it came from God above  
Is he so blind that he can't see  
You'll leave him like you left me.

You sailed away all by yourself  
And I was left here on the shelf  
I never thought I'd say these words  
But I'm glad you're gone.

Yeah he's found truth -- certainty  
Resolution, veracity  
But does he know -- does he really know

What he's taken on?

Well does he know? Well does he know?  
Well does he know? Well does he know?  
No no no no no!

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