

# While You Were Gone

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I read you wrong  
You said you'd only be away a while  
But the days turned into weeks  
and the weeks into miles, baby why?  
You could've told me you were tellin' me goodbye  
Could've come clean and let me walk away in style

Funny thing is.....  
While I was missin' you  
While I was figurin "what was I gonna do?"

I got wise  
I got hip  
I caught on to your tricks  
I got over it real quick yeah baby  
while you were gone  
Now I'm cool  
Can't you tell?  
Feel so good about myself  
Funny thing happened to me baby  
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You look surprised  
Like no one ever left you and survived  
But leavin' me alone  
Has kinda opened my eyes  
Baby you, you gave me the time  
To find somebody new  
and I found strength inside of me I never knew

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While he was holding me  
While he was showing me how it's supposed to be

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Didn't break  
Didn't cry  
I just tell my head I'm fine  
I learned how to say goodbye  
While you were gone  
I had time on my hands  
Boy what don't you understand?  
Funny thing happened to me baby  
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oh... oh...  
while you were gone I learned how to get along

while he was gone I got strong

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While he was showin me  
how it's supposed to be, oh oh whoa

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