This Lady's Not Home Today

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Got a house on the hill And it's constantly filled With a number of passing acquaintances But I'm tired and spent From all the friendships well meant And the rents getting high on my maintenance, Lord

But, why should I worry about leave'n 'em there When nobody's home when you need 'em Even after you love 'em and feed 'em

Say do not disturb This lady's not home today

Well I can't be a fool Though I'd like to come through With a satin edged blanket for comfort But, I got needs of my own I've been to long left alone Without somebody shoulder'n my hurt, Lord

But, why should I worry about leave'n them there When nobody's home when you need 'em Even after you love 'em and feed 'em, Oh Lord

Say do not disturb me This lady's not home today

Time off for good behavior Time off to be my savior

Stay in touch with your indecision So I'll have something to return to After this brief intermission

Keep the night light to see by Remind you of me By The morning I'll be your protection But right now I'm relighting my fuses And tending to my bruises Trying to find my direction, Lord

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Today

Never meant to love you

Oh do not disturb me

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