

# Stay Gone

The Brand New Heavies

No, you cannot stay for the night  
I'm not your 'anytime you want me' delight  
I've been healing both my body and mind  
Found the courage that can free me this time

We're playin' by a new set of rules  
And baby, these were not designed for some fool  
No, see I've taken all that I'm gonna take  
It's the rest of my life that's at stake

So, don't you come around drinkin'  
High and thinkin', I'm gonna lay down  
'Cause you're wrong, you're so wrong

I'm through with letting you walk in  
Do the talkin', puttin' your hands where they don't belong  
No, they don't belong

You can't just show up, use me  
Lie and abuse me this time baby, stay gone  
You can stay gone

I'm no longer falling apart  
You see, I finally got you out of my heart, yeah  
And if I ever think of takin' you back  
You'll remind me how I feel about that

So, don't you come around drinkin'  
High and thinkin', I'm gonna lay down  
'Cause you're wrong, ah, you're damn wrong

I'm through with lettin' you walk in  
Do the talkin' and puttin' your hands where you know they don't belong  
No, no, no, they don't belong

You can't just show up, use me  
Lie and abuse me this time baby, you, you, you, you  
You can stay gone  
You can stay gone, gone, gone, gone, baby

I don't need the smooth talk  
On a good night, doin' just fine, doin' alright  
Stay gone, I don't need you, no

I don't need the false hope  
Or the bad dope or the rough love  
Had enough of it, stay gone

You can't be a, a no show  
When I'm real low, it's a no blow, it's a no go  
Stay gone, stay gone, gone

Don't you come around drinkin'  
Sad and steamin', baby, let me tell you  
I won't work this time, it ain't gonna work, no

I'm tired of lettin' you hurt me

Scream and curse me, baby, that pain is  
More than you're worth, more than you're worth, now

Today is gonna be my day  
Find you a highway, hear me baby, stay gone  
Stay, stay, stay, stay, stay gone, stay gone, stay gone, stay gone

You can stay, out there  
Somewhere, I don't care, I don't care  
Stay gone, you don't believe it

You can take a slow boat  
Or a long road to a fast plane, to a slow train  
Stay gone, stay gone, you can stay gone

Stay gone, stay gone, stay gone  
I don't need your love, no, no, no, stay gone