

# You Didn't Have To Be So Nice

The Lovin' Spoonful

You didn't have to be so nice  
I would have liked you anyway  
If you had just looked once or twice  
And gone upon your quiet way

Today I said the time was right for me to follow you  
I knew I'd find you in a day or two  
And it's true

(ooh) You came upon a quiet day  
(ooh) You simply seemed to take your place  
(ooh) I knew that it would be that way  
(ooh) The minute that I saw your face

And when we've had a few more days  
(when we've had a few more days)  
I wonder if I'll get to say  
(wonder if I'll get to say)  
You didn't have to be so nice  
(be so nice)  
I would have liked you anyway  
(would have liked...)

Today I said the time was right for me to follow you  
(...today said that the time was right to follow you)  
I knew I'd find you in a day or two  
(I knew that I would find you in a day or two)  
And it's true

You didn't have to be so nice (didn't have to be so nice)  
I would have liked you anyway (would have liked you anyway)  
If you had just looked once or twice (once or twice)  
And gone upon your quiet way (quiet way)