

# Forever (Doesn't Quite Seem Long Enough)

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Forever doesn't quite seem long enough

When I was 5 years old  
I couldn't imagine being 12  
When I was in high school  
40 meant that you were dead

Maybe everybody feels this way when they start getting older  
But I love you so much I'm scared you won't always be here

What if you get sick and you leave me when you're 38  
What if I get reckless driving on the interstate  
Ohhh forever doesn't quite seem long enough  
I wish I had known you when we were in second grade  
Draw you stupid pictures, eat lunch with you every day  
Ohhh forever doesn't quite seem long enough

The first week that I met you  
I saw the sunrise every night  
I think I knew it then  
I always want to be by your side

Now every time I leave  
Doesn't matter where I'm going it doesn't feel like  
I need to go when I could be with you at home

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Life's a short bittersweet mystery  
And love is such a precious fragile thing

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