

# When You're Ready

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In this life there will be trouble, but you shall overcome  
They'll hurt you in your heartstrings, they'll leave you in the  
dust

But you do just like I told you, stand strong and hold your own  
A soft answer quiets wrath, a gentle whisper breaks a bone

I can't tell you who to love  
I don't know who that might be  
I hope they cheer you up like crazy  
Sweep you right up off your feet  
Though I don't want you to grow up  
Cause I don't want you to leave  
When you're ready to choose someone  
Make sure they love you half as much as me

In the night there will be darkness, but your light is bright e  
nough

There'll be lovers sometimes leaving, and lovers you'll stand u  
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But you do just like I told you, keep your heart above all thin  
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It's a wicked world, my lovely, but you don't have to let it in

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So for now I'll be your audience applause  
For now I'll leave the night light on  
I know the time is flying, so much has already flown  
And I'm watching you just color  
Yeah, I'm watching you just color  
With your brand new pajamas on

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