

# How Can I Put out the Flame (When You Keep the Fire Burning)

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You keep saying  
It's all over  
Ah yeah  
That the feeling is all gone

But you keep stirring  
Up my desires  
Every time that we're alone

I'm trying  
So hard to forget you  
But you just keep me  
Oh you keep me stringing along

Tell me how  
How can I put out the flame  
Baby baby baby baby  
When you keep the fire burning on

I stop trying  
To see you  
But still  
You just keep coming around  
Oh you're not making it  
Any easier  
Oh no  
For me, to put you down  
No no no no no no

You know  
You know, you know how I feel about you baby  
You know my love  
Oh my love for you  
Is still going strong

So tell me how  
How can I put out the flame  
Baby baby baby  
When you keep the fire burning on

Why don't you just leave me alone?

How can I put out the flame  
Oh no  
When you keep the fire burning on