

# Why, Without You

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Why am I doin' here?  
Why are you here too?  
And what would life mean without you?  
And why are you so beautiful?  
Why do the stars shine bright?  
And it ain't even night  
And what does a girl like you see in me?  
And why are you so pretty?  
Why?  
Why?  
Why did you do what you did?  
Why you had a man  
Now you have a kid?  
And why do I ask such silly questions?  
Why don't I kill myself  
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The time has come and I've learned all about you  
Now that I'm alone I live without you  
Without you I take the day-to-day of living in my life  
But I guess you had your way you got him, you're his wife  
So goodbye!  
I could have settled down and lived forever with you  
Shared the same bed and have a dozen kids with you  
With a swing in the backyard with plastic ducks  
With a porch in the front yard with a mailbox with our name on it  
But without you I can't have any of these things  
Without you I take the day-to-day of living in my life  
But now I have to say I did want you for my wife  
Why can't I see the end  
All I see is the beginning  
Saying over and over in my mind  
You once seemed like a possibility  
Why do dreams like that die?  
Why do I ask you why?  
Black are the skies that once were blue  
Why do I grieve over you?