

# I'm Gonna Make It (Without You)

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Hey lady, lady  
Um, I got your message  
You wanna talk to me about about something?  
Yeah, but before you do, uh  
I have something I'd like tell you  
That might save a little time  
Now I know why you called me  
'Cause you figured that, uh  
Been rushin' one of those funny changes on me, you know  
Tantalizin', teasin' me, you know  
You can come back in a minute  
And I get my hopes up in the air  
You just crash, you know, just dash into the floor  
Well, you can play all those games now  
'Cause they don't affect me anymore  
I can even feel about you and feel no pain  
Because I realize, in fact, that it was all a game  
And you didn't really care about me if you did forgiven me  
And took me back, you know  
But, uh, it's a game to you  
But I'm a changed man now, yeah  
Yeah I'm the cat that went to Phoenix  
But I got myself together  
I don't drink anymore, you noticed that I don't shake  
I hold my head up now, and I can look back on the past  
And chalk it up as experience  
Because, you see  
I found out you not the only woman in the world  
And there's always a woman out there  
That'll take a man's arms and make him forget about the past  
And begin to look forward to the future  
And I got lucky, I stumbled on one

I finally found somebody  
To help me get over you  
I've rid myself of all the changes  
That you put me through  
Now that the worst is over  
And my life is brand new

I'm gonna make it, I'm gonna make it  
Without you, yes I am (Without you)  
Without you, oh yeah

Her lips are so much sweeter  
And they speak the truth as well  
And her love just lifts me higher  
Just think, and I have it all to myself  
All my prayers were answered  
And my greatest wish has come true  
That's why you hear me sayin'

I'm gonna make it, I can see clearly now (I'm gonna make it)  
Yes I'm gonna make it without you  
Oh yeah, yeah, yeah (Without you)  
Without you, mmm hmm

I never thought that I'd love again  
That I'd laugh again at all  
Once again, I'm a man  
I can stand once again  
Never again would I have to crawl  
There's no need in you beggin' me  
To give what we once had another try  
Ain't a way, ain't no way  
'Cause everything is all over  
So you might as well dry your eyes  
'Cause my heart now belongs to another  
And at last, I've learned to live without you  
That's why

I'm gonna make it, I said that I'm gonna make it  
(I'm gonna make it)  
Without you, oh yes I am (Without you)  
I'm gonna make it without you, oh yeah  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I finally found somebody  
To help me make it  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I've learned to live without you, yes I have, yes I have  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
Her lips are so much sweeter  
Embrace is warmer  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
Her touch is softer, you see I've learned to live without you  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I know I'm gonna make it  
I know I'm gonna make it without you, girl  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
My heart belongs to another, oh yeah  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
You played hard a little too long, yes you did, yes you did  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
No more tears, this man won't have to cry  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I can stand once again, I'm a man once again  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I've learned to live without you, girl  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I'm gonna make it, I know I'm gonna make it without you  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
Found somebody to talk to me late at night  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
Found somebody who knows how to make me feel alright  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
That's why I'm gonna make it  
She told me I was gonna make it when she showed me  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
Gonna make it without you, oh yes I am  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
So bye bye, tears a little too late  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I can make it, I can make it, I can make it without you  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
Oh yes I can  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I'm gonna make it, I'm gonna make it  
(I'm gonna make it without you)  
I'm gonna make it, I'm gonna make it  
(I'm gonna make it without you)

I'm gonna make it, I'm gonna make it  
(I'm gonna make it without you)

I'm gonna make it without you, girl