

# I'm Not Ready

Michael Bolton

I am broken  
There's a stranger on the phone  
Somethings missing,  
From seven years ago  
You tell me baby don't you cry anymore  
That's the past and not what we've become  
But I know

I am shaking  
Not a breath left to breathe  
All this sadness so cold  
That I can't speak

[Pre]  
Look me in the eyes,  
You know it's okay we didn't make it forever  
Come hold my hand,  
Hold on to this last minute we have together

[Chorus]  
I'm not ready  
To say goodbye  
You and God both know  
All the years that I've tried  
And if it's over  
Give me the strength to go  
Cause I know I'm never going to be  
I'll never be ready  
To say goodbye, to you

My bags are all packed  
Waiting at the door  
Its hard to imagine  
I wont live here anymore

I'm scared of tomorrow  
And the emptiness to come  
But I've changed for the better  
Since I've known your love

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(I'm not ready)

[Bridge]

And even if we tried  
We would end up right back at this place together  
This was not a lie  
And what we had will always be a real love forever

[Chorus]

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