As If

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It was more than a matter of knowing All the words that were finally said It was more than the coming or going All the things that remain in your head It was more than a matter of wanting And needing The foolish things I gave As if I ever cared to make you cry Could've been right You know that it was And yet you knew I was sorry I dared to make you cry As if I would, As if I could, As if I tried But the words that were finally spoken Like the thoughts That were made in my soul And the hearts that were finally broken An embrace that would never be hold And the words that I never told you Could I've told you The foolish things I've said As if I ever cared to make you cry I could've been right You know that I was And yet you knew I was sorry I dared to make you cry As if I would, As if I could, As if I tried As if I ever cared to make you cry Could've been right You know that I was And yet you knew I was sorry I dared to make you cry Could've been strong, But the words didn't rhyme With the things

That would come between us