

# Are You Gone Already

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What you doin', papa?

Hi

No, uh-uh

Say hi

Hi

Don't you know I'm no good for you?

I've learned to lose you, can't afford to

Tore my shirt to stop you bleedin'

But nothin' ever stops you leavin'

Quiet when I'm coming home and I'm on my own

You never got to meet papa (I could lie, say I like it like that)

He sweet proper, he keep mama (Like it like that)

On my toes, I needed help (I could lie, and say I like it like that)

You booked a flight in three days (Like it like that)

You'd meet papa (Mm)

The waiting, the gazing

The painting, the raging

The raving, the pacing

The praying, the shaking

I must admit, I was breaking

I must admit, I was taking

I must admit, my heart was racing

Telephone waiting, make it

I just believed you wakin'

A memory in the makin'

Call me

Won't you call me? (Call)

No, you gone

(Are you gone already?)

Are you gone already?

I'll only hurt you if you let me

Call me friend, but keep me closer (Call me back)

And I'll call you when the party's over

Quiet when I'm coming home and I'm on my own

So deal, 'Nika, it's real, 'Nika (I could lie, say I like it like that)

Don't stress, Onika, so blessed, Onika (Like it like that)

Today, it's 12/3/23 (I could lie, say I like it like that)

Your baby's three, he's the best, Onika (Like it like that)

Set me, set me, set me free

Why didn't you come back to get me?

Let me, let me, let me be

Why would anyone want to love me?

Rich, yes, but are you happy? (Rich, yes, but are you happy?)

All this guilt you carry is heavy (All of this guilt is heavy)

You've already made your peace with me

One day, you'll have to forgive mommy

But she knows you know too much already (Don't you know too much already?)

I'll only hurt you if you let me  
Call me friend, but keep me closer (Call me back)  
And I'll call you when the party's over  
Quiet when I'm coming home and I'm on my own  
And I could lie, say I like it like that, like it like that (Ah)  
Yeah, I could lie, say I like it like that, like it like that

But nothin' is better sometimes  
Once we've both said our goodbyes  
Let's just let it go  
Let me let you go

Quiet when I'm coming home and I'm on my own  
I could lie, say I like it like that, like it like that  
I could lie, say I like it like that, like it like that