

# Know by Now

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You ought to know by now

Baby when our hearts awoke  
Think of all the rules we broke  
In the name of love we hoped  
Little did we know

Darling all the time we spent  
Ignoring all the consequences  
And hiding from big evidence  
Hoping things would change

But the yearning grew  
like the loneliness of a castaway  
To be near to you was the only thing  
in my heart each day  
Keeping me alive  
till your rescue came

Honey you mean everything to me  
You ought to know by now  
Love means everything  
You ought to know by now  
Only love can bring happiness

Wishful thinking spent in vain  
What to lose and what to gain  
All the guilt and all the pain  
seemed to come away

And baby when our hearts awoke  
Think of all the rules we broke  
In the name of love we spoke  
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But the hope was there  
like a ray of sun on a cloudy day  
Any change from impossibility  
to the only way  
Love can conquer all  
And its here to stay

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