## **The Waiting Game**

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First you say you love me (Oh yeah)
Than you say it's only (Oh yeah)
A temporary passing thing
Just physical attraction
A lotta mixed emotions (Oh yeah)
To keep your options open (Oh yeah)
And buy a little time to try all sides
And keep me guessing

I should be mad at all those things you say to hurt me But I see they leave you hurting too

You're caught up in the middle So in love but so afraid How long are we gonna play The waiting game? (It's a game) Think of me a little Make your mind up either way I don't wanna have to play The waiting game (Oh no)

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Baby, this is senseless (Oh yeah)
I'm totally defenseless (Oh yeah)
How you gonna fight someone
Who's changing every minute?
I'm running out or patience (Oh yeah)
It's time to change the station (Oh yeah)
Look me in the eye and say goodbye
If your heart ain't in it

'Cause going 'round in circles with no ending or beginning Is worse that anything you'd choose

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So in love but so afraid
How long are we gonna play
The waiting game? (The waiting game)
Think of me a little (Think of me)
Make your mind up either way
I don't wanna have to play
The waiting game (The waiting game)
Baby, you're a riddle (Baby, you're a riddle)
More confusing every day
How long do we gotta play
The waiting game?

Around and round and round we go

Where it stops, I wanna know
Make up your mind, don't sink so low
I'm waiting
Ooh, I love you (Love you)
You got to know [?]
Before you leave it all, I know you love me too
Can you feel it?
It's right before your eyes
Can you feel it?

The waiting game

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