

## Elaine

The Smithereens

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Than to be this lonely  
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I think this love affair has gone much too far  
Oh Elaine  
We both could work it out  
Please tell me where you are  
Elaine  
I've tried and tried with all my heart  
To be sad but to depart when we were standing here  
Come to your senses I need you  
Please don't tell me that we're through  
I need your love my dear  
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