After You've Gone

by Duke Ellington

Verse

Now won't you listen honey while I say

How could you tell me that you're goin' away? Don't say that

We must part. Don't break my aching heart

You know I've loved you truly many years

I loved you night and day. How can you leave me can't you

See my tears. Listen while I say

After you've gone and left me crying a little you've gone

There's no denying. You'll feel blue. You'll feel sad

You'll miss the dearest part you've ever had

There'll come a time now don't forget it. There'll come a time

When you'll regret it. Some day when you grow lonely

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