

# Leave a Tender Moment Alone

Billy Joel

Even though I'm in love  
Sometimes I get so afraid  
I'll say something so wrong  
Just to have something to say I know the moment isn't right  
To tell the girl a comical line  
To keep the conversation light  
I guess I'm just frightened out of my mind But if that's how I feel  
Then it's the best feeling I've even known  
It's undeniably real  
Leave a tender moment alone Yes I know I'm in love  
But just when I ought to relax  
I put my foot in my mouth  
Cause I'm just avoiding the facts  
If the girl gets too close  
If I need some room to escape  
When the moment arose  
I'd tell her it's all a mistake But that's not how I feel  
No that's not the woman I've known  
She's undeniably real  
So leave a tender moment alone But it's not only me  
Breaking down when the tension gets high  
Just when I'm in a serious mood  
She is suddenly quiet and shy Leave a tender moment  
Leave it alone I know the moment isn't right  
To hold my emotions inside  
To change the attitude tonight  
I've run out of places to hide  
And if that's how I feel  
Then it's the best feeling I've even known  
It's undeniably real  
Leave a tender moment alone You got to leave a tender moment alone  
Leave a tender moment  
Leave it alone  
You've got to leave a tender moment  
Leave a tender moment alone

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