

## State of Grace

Billy Joel

There you go, slipping away into a state of grace  
I know the look that comes across your face  
It's so familiar to me  
Here I am, trying to keep you in my line of sight  
I'm never certain that you read me right  
Sometimes you don't want to see  
Here we are, both of us know we're in love  
But that isn't always enough  
I never could rise above it all, down I fall

But darling there you go, slipping away into a state of grace  
Granted, this world is not a perfect place  
Still it's the world that I'm in  
Here I am talking while you don't hear a word I say  
Knowing you're watching me from far away  
Somewhere that I've never been

Don't you see, you lived a different life than me  
It doesn't mean you have to be afraid of how  
We're not the same, don't leave me now

But darling there you go, slipping away

How can I get you to stay where you are  
Keep you for going too far  
Holding you here is so hard to do...I'm losing you

And darling there you go, slipping away into a state of grace  
Drifting away into your sacred place  
Someplace that I've never been  
There you go, slipping away, slipping away, into a state of grace  
There you go, slipping away into a state of grace  
There you go...drifting away...