

# I Shoulda Lied

Boyz II Men

I probably should have told her the sky was falling  
Or maybe that my car ran out of gas  
My grandma was sick and I had to leave town right away  
Not OK

Tell one more to fix the last one  
But I never get back to the truth  
Thinking to myself she'll never find out  
That's what we do (That's what we do)  
That's how we do (That's how we do)

I wonder what she really thinks of me  
Shouldn't have really told her everything  
But it's too late, can't take it back  
She'll never look at me the same way again, no

(I shoulda lied) 'Cause the truth may not set me free  
(And now goodbye) Is more than just a word  
My honesty just became my enemy  
Maybe a lie would have made things right this time  
Shoulda lied, shoulda lied

Shoulda said it was the end of the world  
Now sadly it's my reality  
Would she stay if I said I only had one day left  
Stay with me (Stay with me)  
Please don't leave (Please don't leave)

I wonder what she really thinks of me  
I wish I would have never said a thing  
But it's too late for that  
I don't think she's coming back  
And I'll never look at truth the same again

Now I'm trying hard to convince my heart  
That everything will be OK  
She said she'd never leave  
And I just can't believe she's gone  
And now I know

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(And now goodbye) Is more than just a word  
My honesty just became my enemy  
Maybe a lie would have made things right this time  
I shoulda lied, lied

Promised myself next time I won't tell the truth  
'Cause if I knew what I knew right now I'll still be with you  
I shoulda lied, shoulda lied  
Shoulda lied, shoulda lied