

# This Is Me Leaving You

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This is your voice of reason  
This is your voice of calm  
This is your heart that's speaking  
Saying the time has come

Here is your pride and grace now  
Here is your strength and soul  
Everything's at the ready  
You're finally good to go

Now tell him there's one last thing  
That you forgot to do  
This is me leaving you  
This is me leaving you

He told you to try believing  
He asked you to keep the faith  
He took all that you were giving  
As if it all were his to take

Now it's the truth that won't let go  
Now it's the facts that you can't shake  
Now it's just time to let him know  
But you made a big mistake

Maybe these final words will offer up a clue  
This is me leaving you, this is me leaving you  
This is me baby, breaking us in two  
This is me leaving you

I'm your better half  
Baby, that's a laugh

This is your voice of reason  
This is your voice of calm  
This is your heart that's speaking  
Don't look back, just keep on going

This is me leaving you  
This is me leaving you, yeah  
This is me leaving you  
This is me leaving you