

# Leaving on a Jet Plane

Ray Stevens

All my bags are packed, I'm ready to go  
I'm standing here outside your door  
I hate to wake you up to say goodbye  
But the dawn is breaking, it's early morn  
Taxi's waiting, he's blowin' his horn  
Already I'm so lonesome I could cry

So kiss me and smile for me  
Tell me that you'll wait for me  
Hold me like you'll never let me go  
I'm leaving on a jet plane  
Don't know when I'll be back again  
Oh babe, I hate to go

There's so many times I've let you down  
So many times I've played around  
I tell you now, they don't mean a thing  
Everyplace I go, I'll think of you  
Every song I sing, I'll sing for you  
When I come back, I'll bring your wedding ring

So kiss me and smile for me  
Tell me that you'll wait for me  
Hold me like you'll never let me go  
I'm leaving on a jet plane  
Don't know when I'll be back again  
Oh babe, I hate to go

Now the time has come for me to leave you  
One more time, let me kiss you  
Then close your eyes and I'll be on my way  
Just dream about the days to come  
When I won't have to leave alone  
About the time I won't have to say

Kiss me and smile for me  
Tell me that you'll wait for me  
Hold me like you'll never let me go  
'Cause I'm leaving on a jet plane  
Don't know when I'll be back again

I don't know when I'll be back again  
Leaving on a jet plane  
Don't know when I'll be back again  
Oh babe, I hate to go