

# Maurice White, I Need You

I can take a woman or leave her alone  
Temporary lovers come and go  
You're the only woman that I've ever known  
Who's got me losing control  
Oh, I don't want to dream about you  
Or wonder where you are  
Oh, I wish my heart could beat without you  
But I have gone too far

You say, I need you  
You think that I need all the love you're giving  
And I need you  
Cause living alone isn't really living at all  
Never planned to make love a permanent thing  
Keeping my emotions on the side  
Kinda like my life just the way that it's been  
Girl, I'm taking my time  
Oh, I don't want to miss you baby  
But I have gone too far

(\*repeat)

Who decides which one we love  
Or when we're going to fall  
I don't need two hands to hold  
Two lips to whisper

I need you  
You think that I need all the love you're giving  
And I need you  
Cause living alone

I need you  
You think that I need all the love you're giving  
I need you  
Like the air that I breathe through an open window  
I need you  
I can't let you leave and I won't pretend no more