

# Aretha Franklin, Why I Sing the Blues

Without a word of warnin' blues  
Walked in this mornin'  
And circled 'round my lonely room  
I didn't know why I had that sad  
And lonely feelin' until my baby called  
And said we were through  
For yesterday this time  
I sang a love song  
But today I'm singing the blues  
Strikes me kinda funny how love can be this way  
We were lovin' 'til last night honey, yeah  
I'm alone again today

And it strikes me kinda funny  
How fate can be unfair  
That I come right on the losin' end  
In every, every love affair  
Yes, it must be, it must be meant for me  
That I should be the one  
Be the one to always lose  
For yesterday  
Yesterday this time I'd sing a love song, whoah  
Yeah, but right now I'm singin' the blues  
Whoah yeah, today I sing the blues