

# Duke Ellington, Three Little Words

I know what you're doing  
I see it all too clear  
I only taste the saline  
When I kiss away your tears  
You really had me going, wishing on a star  
But the black holes that surround you  
Are heavier by far  
I believed in your confusion  
You were so completely torn  
Well it must have been that yesterday  
Was the day that I was born  
There's not much to examine  
There's nothing left to hide  
You really can't be serious  
If you have to ask me why  
I say good-bye...  
1-'Cause I am barely breathing  
And I can't find the air  
I don't know who I'm kidding  
Imagining you care, and I could stand here  
Waiting a fool for another day  
But I don't suppose it's worth the price  
Worth the price, the price that I would pay  
Everyone keeps asking, what's it all about?  
I used to be so certain and I can't figure out  
What is this attraction? I only feel the pain  
There's nothing left to reason and only you to blame  
Will it ever change?  
(repeat 1)  
But I'm thinking it over anyway...  
I've come to find, I may never know  
Your changing mind, is it friend or foe?  
I rise above or sink below  
With every time you come and go  
Please don't, you come and go  
(rpt 1)