

# Kim Carnes, Love Me Like You Never Did Before

(Phil Brown/Eric Kaz)

It's been a long time since I've seen you  
And I don't know what to expect  
Cause all the promises you made  
You never kept

When you called to say you'd meet me here  
What was going through your mind  
Are you running to me  
Or just running blind  
Cause if you're gonna set me up this time

I'll be ready for you  
I'm playing it cool  
I'm taking a long look back  
Cause I know I'll never forget  
That I loved you a lot

And you tore my heart into pieces  
How do I stop all the  
Feeling I've got  
From doing me in again

I went out of my way  
But it just didn't pay  
If you want to see me again  
Just open the door  
And love me like you never did before

You thought you were clever  
When you disappeared  
And kept me hanging on by a thread  
You left me drowning in tears so deep  
Way over my head  
You had to place yourself beyond my reach  
And play so hard to get  
You know you did some things to me baby  
I'll never forget

I know I'm taking a chance  
Letting you back in again  
If you don't need me  
There's really no use to pretend