

# Lee Roy Parnell, I Had To Let It Go

Last time i saw laura she was dancing at the mardi grass  
Every man in new orleans was saying ooh la la  
The way she used to love me make a dead man walk  
Tore me up to just see her move and i loved to hear her talk

I had to let it go i had to let it go  
Oh i might have missed heaven but then you never know  
I had to let it go i had to let it go

Last time i saw whiskey it was callin' out my name  
Whiskey you know i loved you but we'll never be the same  
You used to take me with you through the nights that had no end  
One night when you weren't looking lord i snuck around the bend

I had to let it go...

Last time i saw reno so down on my luck  
Sweet-talked a cocktail waitress into loanin' me a buck  
By the time the night was over and i handed back the dice  
Picked up my winnings and i kissed that waitress twice

I had to let it go i had to let it go  
I might have rolled another seven but then you never know  
I had to let it go i had to let it go

[ guitar ]  
Life is just a puzzle inside a mystery  
Your idea of heaven might look like hell to me  
I just keep on moving see i never had a choice  
Singing out these stories in this ragged down home voice

I had to let it go...  
Oh no no no never let it go...