

# Neil Diamond, The Man You Need

I never did believe  
That I would end up losing you this way  
As far as I could see  
The life we had was always gonna stay  
And I tried to be  
The man you need

I'll never understand  
What I expected out of loving you  
The way we had it planned  
There always could be  
Room enough for two  
To live and grow  
How could I know  
I wouldn't be the man you need

And I wanna know why  
Yeah, I wanna know how  
Say I wanna know where  
Everything went wrong  
And I'm sorry, 'cause I love you

You told me more than once  
I never understood my way around  
The way that things worked out  
I'm still not really sure  
Of where I'm bound  
You knew me well  
I should have seen  
I couldn't be the man you need

And I reach for the sky  
I reach for the stars  
And all of the time  
I was reaching for you  
And I'm sorry, 'cause I love you

Say it now again  
I'm holdin' on  
I've only just begun  
To learn the meaning of not having you  
I thought for sure  
That I would be the man  
You need forever more

That I would be the man  
You need forever more  
I want to be the man  
You need forever more