

Since Youve Gone  
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Intro: C

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well theres one thing mama

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I think you should know  
it is not love

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that makes the flowers grow  
but a complex electron transfer process known as photosynthesis

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when chlorofyll reacts to the light of day  
but since you re gone

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the light has gone away

well theres one more thing mama

I think you will find  
it is not love

that makes the stars shine  
but the spontaneous combuston of super heated super condensed gasses  
in a process known as fusion  
that creates new elements when the time is right  
but since you re gone  
the stars dont shine so bright

well theres another thing mama

I think I should confide  
it is not love

that ll turn the tide  
but the net difference in the gravitational pull  
between the earth and the moon  
as it is acted out upon the waves  
but since youre gone  
I feel washed away

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I could ve been a mathmatician  
studied rockets for a livin

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would ve worked out better in the end

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but to get more specific  
I d break every law of physics

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to bring you back to me again

well theres one more thing  
I ll tell you if I can  
it is not love  
that makes a non-stick frying pan  
but a top secret trademark conglomerated  
most likely carcinogenic polyeurothane compound  
spreading of microthin substance over a negatively charged layer  
of aluminum, copper, iron, lead, vhs, fyi, apple pie, FBI,  
and some other elements too  
but since youre gone  
I wish I d stuck to you.