

Leaving on a Jet Plane

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Intro

C **F**

C **F**

C

All my bags are packed

F

I'm ready to go

C **F**

I'm standin' here outside your door

C **F** **G7**

I hate to wake you up to say goodbye

C

But the dawn is breakin'

F

It's early morn

C

The taxi's waitin'

F

He's blowin' his horn

C **F**

Already I'm so lonesome

G7

I could die

C **F**

So kiss me and smile for me

C **F**

Tell me that you'll wait for me

C **F** **G7**

Hold me like you'll never let me go

C **F**

'Cause I'm leavin' on a jet plane

C **F** **C**

Don't know when I'll be back again

F **G7**

Oh babe, I hate to go

There's so many times I've let you down
So many times I've played around
I tell you now, they don't mean a thing
Every place I go, I'll think of you
Every song I sing, I'll sing for you
When I come back, I'll bring your wedding ring
So kiss me and smile for me
Tell me that you'll wait for me
Hold me like you'll never let me go

'Cause I'm leavin' on a jet plane
Don't know when I'll be back again
Oh babe, I hate to go

Now the time has come to leave you
One more time
Let me kiss you
Then close your eyes
And I'll be on my way
Dream about the days to come
When I won't have to leave alone
About the times, I won't have to say

Kiss me and smile for me
Tell me that you'll wait for me
Hold me like you'll never let me go
'Cause I'm leavin' on a jet plane
Don't know when I'll be back again
Oh babe, I hate to go

But, I'm leavin' on a jet plane
Don't know when I'll be back again
Oh babe, I hate to go