

Cruel, you pull away too soon

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(♩ = 70)

Cru - el, you pull a - way too soon your lips, your dain - ty lips, cru - el, you
Cru - el, you pull a - way too soon your lips, your dain - ty lips, cru - el you pull a - way too soon, you
Cru - el, you pull a - way too soon your sweet lips, your

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pull a - way too soon, too, too soon your lips when as you kiss
pull a - way too soon your dain - ty lips when as you kiss, you kiss
dain - ty lips when as you kiss

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me, cru - el, you pull a - way too soon your lips, your dain - ty lips, cru - el, you pull a - way too soon, you
me, cru - el you pull a - way too soon your lips, your dain - ty lips, cru - el you
me, cru - el, you pull a - way too soon your sweet lips, your

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pull a - way too soon your dain - ty lips when as you kiss you kiss
pull a - way too soon, too, too soon your lips when as you kiss
dain - ty lips, when as you kiss

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me, But you should hold them still, O, but you should hold them still, But
 me, But you should hold them still, should hold them still, but
 me. But you should hold them still, should hold them still, but you should hold them still, should

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you should hold them still, and then, then should you bliss
 you should hold them still, and then should you bliss
 hold them still, and then should you bliss

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me, Now or ere I taste them, straight a - way they haste them,
 me, Now or ere I taste them, straight a - way the haste, straight a - way they haste
 me, Now or ere I taste them, straight a - way they haste them, straight a -

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or ere I taste them, a - way they haste them, But you per - haps re - ti - re them?
 them, a - way they haste them, they haste them. But you per - haps re -
 way they haste, they haste them. But you per - haps re - ti - re

to move my thoughts there - by the more to fire them,
 ti - re them, to move my thoughts there - by the more to fire them, A -
 them, to move my thoughts there - - - by the more to fire them.

A - las, a - las such baits, such baits
 las, a - las such baits, a - las a -
 A - las a - las such baits, a - las such

you need to find, you need to find out nev - er if
 las such baits, you need to find out nev - er, if you would let
 baits you need to find out nev - er if you would but let me, if

you would let me, if you would let me, you would let me, if you would
 me, if you would let me, if you would let me, if
 you would but let me, if you would but let me, if you would let

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let me, if you would let me I would kiss you ev - er. A -
 you would let me, you should not fear if you would let me, I would kiss you ev - er.
 me, if you would let me, I would kiss you, would kiss you ev - er.

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las, a - las such baits, a - las a -
 A - las, a - las such baits, such baits
 A - las, a - las such baits, a - las such

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las such baits you need to find out nev - er, if you would let
 you need to find you need to find out nev - er, if
 baits you need to find out nev - er, if you would but let me, if

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me, if you would let me, if you would let me, if
 you would let me, if you would let me, you would let me, if you would
 you would but let me, if you would but let me, if you would let

you would let me you should not fear, if you would let me I would kiss,
 let me, if you would let me, O I would kiss
 me, if you would let me, if you would but let me, I would kiss, and kiss

kiss and kiss, and kiss, kiss, and kiss, and kiss you ev - er.
 you, and kiss, and kiss, and kiss, and kiss, kiss, you ev - er.
 you, kiss you ev - er.