

Longest Time - 1983

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Tenor	Bass
Woh-oh-oh-oh, for the longest time, Woh-oh-oh, for the longest If you said goodbye to me tonight There would still be music left to write. Ah-ah-ah-ah-ah, ah-ah-ah Ah-ah-ah for the longest time.	Bm bm bm Woh-oh-oh, for the longest, for the longest time, Woh-oh, for the longest Oo-oo-oo-oo-ooo-oo Do-do-oo-oo-oo-oo-oo-oo What else could I do, I'm so inspired by you That hasn't happened for the longest time.
Once I thought my innocence was gone, Now I know that happiness goes on. Ah-ah-ah-ah-ah, ah-ah-ah Ah-ah-ah for the longest time.	Oo-oo-oo-oo-ooo-oo Do-do-oo-oo-oo-oo-oo-oo That's where you found me, when you put your arms around me, I haven't been there for the longest time.
Woh-oh-oh-oh, for the longest time, Woh-oh-oh, for the longest I'm that voice you're hearing in the hall And the greatest miracle of all, Ah-ah-ah-ah-ah, ah-ah-ah Ah-ah-ah for the longest time.	Woh-oh-oh, for the longest, for the longest time Woh-oh, for the longest time. Dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba do do bm-bm-bm Dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba dm dm do Is how I need you, and how you needed me too, That hasn't happened for the longest time.
. Bom wa-oo-wa . bom wa-oo-wa, . Bom wa-oo-wa . bom wa-oo-wa, . Bom wa-oo-wa . bom wa-oo-wa, . Bom wa-oo-wa, more than I hoped for.	Maybe this won't last very long But you feel so right, and I could be wrong. Maybe I've been hoping too hard, but I've come this far And it's more than I, could hope for.
Who knows how much further we'll go on, Maybe I'll be sorry when you're gone Ah-ah-ah-ah-ah, ah-ah-ah Ah-ah-ah for the longest time.	Dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba do do bm-bm-bm Dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba dm-ba dm dm do I'll take my chances, I forgot how nice romance is, I haven't been there for the longest time.
. Bom wa-oo-wa . bom wa-oo-wa, . Bom wa-oo-wa . bom wa-oo-wa, . Bom wa-oo-wa . bom wa-oo-wa, . Bom wa-oo-wa, more than I hoped for.	I had second thoughts at the start I said to myself, "Hold on to you your heart". Now I know the woman that you are, you're wonderful so far And it's more than I, could hope for.
I don't care what consequence it brings, I have been a fool for lesser things. Ah-ah-ah-ah-ah, ah-ah-ah Ah-ah-ah for the longest time. Time, woh-oh-oh, for the longest Time, woh-oh-oh, for the longest Time, woh-oh-oh, for the longest Time, woh-oh-oh, For the lo-o-ongest time.	Oo-oo-oo-oo-ooo-oo Do-do-oo-oo-oo-oo-oo-oo I want you so bad, I think you ought to know that I intend to hold you for the longest time. Time, woh-oh for the longest, for the longest Time, woh-oh for the longest, for the longest Time, woh-oh for the longest, for the longest Time, woh-oh for the longest, For the longest time.