

English Communications: Taylor Swift – Stay Stay Stay

I'm pretty sure we almost **broke up** last night
I **threw** my phone across the room at you
I was expecting some **dramatic turn away** but you stayed
This morning I said we should talk about it
Cause I read you should never leave a fight **unresolved**
That's when you came in wearing a **football helmet**
And said okay let's talk
And I said...

Stay stay stay I've been loving you for quite some time time time
You think that it's funny when I'm mad mad mad
But I think that it's best if we both stay

Before you I only dated **self indulgent takers** who took all of their problems out on me
But you carry my **groceries** and now I'm always laughing
And I love you because you have given me no choice but to

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You took the time to **memorize** me my fears my hopes and dreams
I just like hanging out with you all the time
All those times that you didn't leave it's been occurring to me I would like to hang out with you
for my whole life

Stay and I'll be loving you for quite some time
No one else is gonna love me when I get mad mad mad
So I think that it's best if we both stay stay stay stay stay stay

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Vocabulary

1. **break up** (phrasal verb): to end a romantic relationship
2. **throw** (verb): to make something fly in the air
3. **dramatic** (adjective): great, sudden, emotional
4. **turn away** (phrasal verb): slang; means to look away from someone else; usually because you don't want to talk to them.
5. **unresolved** (adjective): unfinished, not solved or fixed
6. **football helmet** (noun): worn to protect your head when playing football
7. **self indulgent** (adjective): describes a person who only does things to make herself/himself happy; doesn't care about other people's needs or wants.
8. **taker** (noun): slang; means people who just take (help, advice, money) but never give anything to other people.
8. **groceries** (noun): food you buy from the store
9. **memorize** (verb): to learn something very well so that you can remember it easily

Phrases

1. **For quite some time** = for a long time/duration

Example: I have been studying English for quite some time.

Example: He has been sleeping for quite some time.

2. **Think that it's best** = think something is a good idea

Example: She thinks that it's best if we turn down the music because it is getting late.

Example: He thinks that it's best to try to speak English outside of the classroom.

3. **Take (something) out on (someone)** = to show you are angry or frustrated

Example: Don't take your problems out on me, it's not my fault your bike was stolen.

Example: Don't take it out on the waiter, it's not his fault that your dinner tastes bad.

4. **It occurred to me** = an idea/thought has come into your mind

Example: After watching that music video, it occurred to me that English can be fun!

Example: It never occurred to me that she wouldn't like to drink tea.