

## 50 ways to leave your lover by Paul Simon

Write the words according to the pictures, then listen and check:

"The problem is all inside your ", she said to me  
The answer is easy if you take it logically  
I'd like to help you in your struggle to be   
There must be \_\_\_\_\_ **50** ways to leave your \_\_\_\_\_   
She said it's really not my habit to intrude  
Furthermore, I hope my meaning won't be lost or misconstrued  
But I'll repeat myself at the risk of being crude  
There must be fifty ways to leave your lover  
Fifty ways to leave your lover

Click on the correct option:

Just slip out the **back black**, Jack  
Make a new **club plan**, Stan  
You don't need to be coy, Roy  
Just get yourself **free three**  
Hop on the bus, Gus  
You don't need to discuss **much match**  
Just drop off the key, Lee  
And get yourself free



twice

Order writing the number (1 to 4) in the correct place.

About the fifty ways   
I wish there was something I could do to make you smile again   
I said I appreciate that and would you please explain   
She said it grieves me so to see you in such pain

Sing along:

She said why don't we both just sleep on it tonight  
And I believe in the morning you'll begin to see the light  
And then she kissed me and I realized she probably was right  
There must be fifty ways to leave your lover  
Fifty ways to leave your lover  
Just slip out the back, Jack

Make a new plan, Stan  
 You don't need to be coy, Roy  
 Just get yourself free  
 Hop on the bus, Gus  
 You don't need to discuss much  
 Just drop off the key, Lee  
 And get yourself free

Now let's write the lines into direct speech.

She said to me that the problem was all inside my head.

→ *"The problem is all inside your head," she said to me.*

She added that the answer was easy if I took it logically.

→ "....."

She offered to help me in my struggle to be free. She remarked that there had to be fifty ways to leave my lover.

→ *"I'd like ....."*

She continued that it was really not her habit to intrude.

→ *"There....."*

She exclaimed she hoped her meaning wouldn't be lost or misconstrued.

→ *She said, "It....."*

She insisted that there had to be fifty ways to leave my lover.

→ *"Furthermore, I....."*

She admitted that it grieved her so to see me in such pain.

→ *"But I'll repeat myself, at the risk of being crude, there .....  
 ...."*

She confessed that she wished there was something she could do to make me smile

→ *She said, "It....."*

again. I replied that I appreciated it and enquired if she could please explain about the fifty ways.

→ *"I wish....."*

She suggested sleeping on it that night.

→ *I said, "..... and would you please.....?"*

She believed that I would begin to see the light in the morning.

→ *She said, "why .....?"*

→ *"And I....."*

