

## Take Me with You

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- 1 and so I lie there thinking about you
- 3 I don't know why I feel this way about you
- 4 Before I met you, I was lonely and watched too many home improvement programmes
- 5 this was where we met
- 6 but we left quickly
- 7 and then there was that time you said we were too different
- 8 I actually don't want to be that way
- 9 Sometimes I can't sleep
- 10 You dream these wild dreams
- 11 I just dream about a little old man. What does it mean?
- 12 our home
- 13 Leave me alone when my head hurts
- 14 then I'll let you do your own thing
- 15 Last summer you fell ill
- 16 I couldn't be there for you. I had to take care of the disabled people
- 17 or can't we just stay here forever?
- 18 I got some pills because I'm always in so much pain
- 19 That just made everything worse
- 20 You left me at my lowest
- 21 I walked on that beach for many days feeling so angry with you
- 22 The only thing that can make me happy again is the thought of getting a dog

Bio: Rikke Bakman (b. 1980) is a student at the Funen Art Academy. She lives and works in Malmö in Sweden where she is an exchange student at Serieskolan. The autobiographical Take Me with You has previously been shown as a total installation.

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