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- [C] It's a lesson too [F] late for the [C] learnin'
- [F] made of [C] sand, [G7] made of [C] sand.
- [C] In the wink of an [F] eye my soul is [C] turnin'
- [F] in your [C] hand, [G7] in your [C] hand.

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Will there [Am] be not a [Em] trace left be-[G]hind? [G7]
I [C] could have loved you [F] better, didn't [C] mean to be un-[Em]kind,
[F] oh, you [C] know that was the [G] last thing on my [C] mind.

- [C] You had reasons a-[F]plenty for [C] goin'
- [F] this I [C] know, [G7] this I [C] know.
- [C] And the weeds have been [F] steadily [C] growin'
- [F] Please don't [C] go, [G7] please don't [C] go.

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- [C] As I lie in my [F] bed in the [C] mornin'
- [F] without [C] you, [G7] without [C] you.
- [C] Every song in my [F] heart dies a-[C]bornin'
- [F] without [C] you, [G7] without [C] you.

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