

**Why Did It Have To Be Me**  
**Abba**

[Intro]

| G | % | % | % |

[Verse]

G D  
When you were lonely, you needed a man  
G D  
Someone to lean on, well I understand  
C  
It s only natural  
D7 G D  
But why did it have to be me

[Verse]

G D  
Nights can be empty, nights can be cold  
G D  
So you were looking for someone to hold  
C  
That s only natural  
D7 G G7  
But why did it have to be me

[Chorus]

C  
I was so lonesome, I was blue  
G D7  
I couldn t help it, it had to be you and I  
G G7  
Always thought you knew the reason why  
C  
I only wanted a little love affair  
A  
Now I can see you are beginning to care  
G/B C  
But baby, believe me  
A7/C# G/D D  
It s better to forget me

[Instrumental]

| C | | % | G | % | D7 | % | G | D7 |

[Verse]

**G** **D**  
Men are toys in the game that you play  
**G** **D**  
When you get tired, you throw them away  
**C**  
That s only natural  
**D7** | **G** | % | **A** | % |  
But why did it have to be me

[Verse]

**A** **E**  
Falling in love with a woman like you  
**A** **E**  
Happens so quickly, there s nothing to do  
**D**  
It s only natural  
**E7** **A** **A7**  
But why did it have to be me

[Chorus]

**D**  
I was so lonesome, I was blue  
**A** **E**  
I couldn t help it, it had to be you and I  
**A** **A7**  
Always thought you knew the reason why  
**D**  
I only wanted a little love affair  
**B**  
Now I can see you are beginning to care  
**A/C#** **D**  
But baby, believe me  
**B7/D#** **A/E** **E**  
It s better to forget me

[Outro]

| **D** | % | **A** | % | **E7** | % | **A** | **A7** |  
(repeat and fade)