

Effigy

Andrew Bird

C **F**
If you come to find me affable

C **G**
Build a replica for me

C **F**
Would the idea to you be laughable

C **G**
Of a pale facsimile?

C **F**
So will you come to burn an effigy?

C **G**
It should keep the flies away

C **F**
And when you long to burn this effigy

C **G** **Am** **D** **Dm** **G**
It should be of the hours that slip away, slip away

F **Am** **G**
It could be you, it could be me

F
Working the door, drinking for free

Am **G**
Carrying on with your conspiracies

F
Filling the room with a sense of unease

G **C** **Am**
Fake conversations on a nonexistent telephone

F **G** **C** **Am**
Like the words of a man who spent a little too much time alone

F **G**
When one has spent too much time alone

C **F**
So will you come to burn my effigy?

C **G**
It should keep the flies away

C **F**
If you long to burn an effigy

F **C** **G** **Am** **D** **Dm** **G**
It should be of a man whose has lost his way, slips away

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