

**Ships In The Night**  
**Be-Bop Deluxe**

Song: Ships in the night  
Artist: Be - Bop Deluxe  
Composer: Bill Nelson  
Album: Sunburst finish

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**Bb** = x32010      **F** = 320003      **Gm** = x02210  
**Bb4** = x33011      **Eb** = 133211      **Dm** = 022000  
**F4** = 320013      **Cm** = xx0231

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[Intro]

**Bb**      **Bb4**      **F4**      **F**      **Bb**      **Bb4**      **F4**      **F**  
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**Bb**      **Eb**      **Eb**      **F**      **Bb**      **Eb**      **Eb** **Bb4** **Eb**  
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[Verse 1]

**Bb**                  **Cm**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
Like a... square peg in a round hole,  
**Bb**                  **Cm**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
Like a... harp with - out it s strings,  
**Bb**                  **Cm**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
Like a sailor who sails no o - ceans,  
**Bb**                  **Cm**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
Like a... bird that has no wings!

[Verse 2]

**Bb**                  **F**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
(Without love...) ...I am a desert,  
**Bb**                  **F**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
(Without love...) ...my light is dim,  
**Bb**                  **F**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
(Without love...) ...I have no treasures,  
**Bb**                  **F**                  **Eb**                  **F**  
(Without love...) ...I cannot win!

[Verse 3]

**Gm**                                  **Eb**  
Without love...we are like ships in the night,

**Gm** **F**  
 Without love, selling our souls down the river,  
**Dm** **Eb** **F** **F4 F**  
 Sailing away, and for - ever our pleasure is blue!

[Break]

**F** **F4 F** **F** **F** **F4 F** **Eb F**  
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**Bb** **Bb4** **F4 F** **Bb** **Bb4** **F4 F**  
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**Bb** **Eb** **Eb** **F** **Bb** **Eb** **Eb Bb4 Eb**  
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[Verse 4]

**Bb** **Cm** **Eb** **F**  
 Like a... dream that has no dreamer,  
**Bb** **Cm** **Eb** **F**  
 Like a cloud with - out a sky,  
**Bb** **Cm** **Eb** **F**  
 Like the truth with no be - lie - ver,  
**Bb** **Cm** **Eb** **F**  
 Like a mother with - out a child!

[Verse 5]

**Bb** **F** **Eb** **F**  
 (Without love...) ...I have no pleasures,  
**Bb** **F** **Eb**  
 (Without love...) ...my light is dim,  
**Bb** **F** **Eb** **F**  
 (Without love...) ...I have no treasures,  
**Bb** **F** **Eb**  
 (Without love...) ...my chance is slim!

[Verse 6]

**Gm** **Eb**  
 Without love...we are like ships in the night,  
**Gm** **F**  
 Without love, selling our souls down the river,  
**Dm** **Eb** **F** **F4 F**  
 Sailing away, and for - ever our pleasure is blue!

[Coda]

**F** **F4 F** **F** **F** **F4 F** **Eb F**  
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