

Esmerelda
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[Verse 1]

Am **F** **Am**
Iâ€™m blinded, now I see that I
Am **F** **Am**
Could not hold you. My orange tree lived
Am **F** **Am**
In the darkened room for three of us to
Am **F** **Am**
Share.

Am **F** **Am**
Maybe you were free before my
Am **F** **Am**
Blackened wing covered you.
Am **F** **Am**
I took the sing from your song.
Am **G** **Am**
I made a bed where you donâ€™t belong.

[Chorus]

F **C** **Am** **G**
Poor me, she fell beneath the wheels to help me up,
F **C** **Am** **G**
Black sea, I failed to be the light you found in love.
F **C** **Am** **G**
Oh, poor me, she fell beneath the wheels to help me up,
F **C** **Am** **F** **G**
Black sea, the monster killed the melody you love.

F **Am**
And now Iâ€™m going places on my own.

[Verse 2]

Am **F** **Am**
Blinded, now I see that death moves
Am **F** **Am**
Amongst us and with such ease the rafters
Am **F** **Am**
Surround us. These silent beasts are hard
Am **F** **Am**
To bear.

Am **F** **Am**
Lonely, oh, no, not me,
Am **F** **Am**

I have a grave to dig. Fast moving feet

Am **F** **Am**

You gave me light where it once was gone.

Am **G**

I made a bed where you don't belong.

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