

**I Forget Where We Were**  
**Ben Howard**

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Album: I Forget Where We Were  
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Tuning: Standard

Note:

**Am** to **G6** is quick chord transition (listen and you ll hear it)

My feeble attempt to explain strumming:

- I always hit low E & A strings before each chord transition (or just E whatever sounds better) call it X\*

- For each chords in progression (F, Am, C to G6):

X\* **F F**

D D UDU (and repeat for other chords)

- For the quick Am to G6:

**Am G6**

D D UDU DU D D D

[Intro]

**F Am C G6**

**F Am G6**

[Verse]

**F Am**

Hey, I wasn t listening

**C**

I was watching Syria

**G6**

blinded by the sunshine strip

**F**

**Am**

And you, you were in the kitchen

**C**

Oh your, mariner s mouth

**G6**

**F**

The wounded with the wounder s whip

**Am**

And that s how summer passed

**C**

**G6**

The great dividing range, the green, green grass

**F**

**Am**

**G6**

And oh, maybe it was peace at last, who knew

[Chorus]

**F** **C** **Em** **F**  
Then hello love, my invincible friend  
**C** **Em** **F**  
Hello love, the thistle and the burr  
**C** **G6** **F**  
Hello love, for you I have so many words  
**F F Am G6 F**  
But I, I forget where we were

[Verse]

**F** **Am**  
Hey, I wasn't listening  
**C**  
I was stung by all of us  
**G6** **F**  
The blind leading out the bored  
**Am**  
And as per usual, you were  
**C** **G6** **F**  
skipping and laughing eyes at the bedroom door  
**Am**  
don't take it so seriously  
**C**  
only time is ours,  
**G6** **F**  
the rest we'll just wait and see  
**Am** **G6**  
maybe you're right babe, maybe

**F** **Am**  
Oh no, and that's how summer passed  
**C**  
The great dividing  
**G6**  
The range of green, green grass  
**F** **Am** **G6**  
And oh, maybe I hold on fast, to you

[Chorus]

**F** **C** **Em** **F**  
Then hello love, my invincible friend  
**C** **Em** **F**  
Hello love, the thistle and the burr  
**C** **G6** **F**

Hello love, for you I have so many words

**F**

But I

**F      Am                      G6      F**

I forget where we were

**F      Am                      G6      F**

I forget where we were, oh

**F      Am                      G6      F**

I forget where we were

**F      Am                      G6      C    Em**

I forget where we were

[Break]

**Am   G6      C      F (hold)...palm mute**

**F      Am      C      G6    (x3)**

**F      Am      G6**

[Outrol]

**F                                      Am**

Oh no, and that s how summer passed oh your,

**C                                      G6**

great divide the range of green, green grass

**F                                      Am                      G6**

And oh, maybe it was peace at last, who knew

**Am**

(x6) --> down strums

End on

**G6**