

Spring Can Really Hang You Up The Most
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A F#m D9 E7 Dm6

Once I was a sentimental thing

A F#m D9 E7 A7M

Threw my heart away each spring

Fdim AM7 Cdim Bm5-/7 A7M

Now a spring romance hasn't got a chance

D9 Bm5-/7 A7M C#m5-/7 F#m7

Promised my first dance to winter

D9 Bm5-/7 E7 A B7 D9 D6 Dm6 Fdim E7

All I've got to show's a splinter for my little fling

D9 D E7/13 Bbm9 E7 Fdim A7M

Spring this year has got me feeling

A7M D9 Bm5-/7 A7M C#m5-/7

Like a horse that never left the post

D7M D6 Dm7+ Dm6

I lie in my room, staring up at the ceiling

D9 Bm5-/7 E Bm5-/7 A7M

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A Bm7 C#m7 D

Morning's kiss wakes trees and flowers

A7M D9 Bm5-/7 A7M C#m5-/7

And to them I'd like to drink a toast

D7M D6 A C#m5-/7 B7

But I walk in the park just to kill the lonely hours

D9 Bm5-/7 E Bm5-/7 A7M

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Gdim A Gdim G A

All afternoon the birds twitter-twitt

Gdim A Gdim G

I know the tune This Is Love, This Is It

A Am7 G A Am7 G A

Heard it before, and don't I know the score

E C#m5-/7 A B7

And I've decided that spring is a bore

E A9 A7M D9

Love seems sure around the new year;

A7M C#m5-/7 D9 Bm5-/7 A7M C#m5-/7

Now it's April, love is just a ghost

C#7 D7M D6 Dm6 A C#m5-/7 B7

Spring arrived on time, only what became of you, dear

D9 Bm5-/7 E Bm5-/7 C#m5-/7 F#7

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Gdim A Gdim G A

Love came my way, I thought it would last

Gdim A Gdim G A
 We had our day, now it s all in the past
Am7 G A Am7 G A
 Spring came along, a season of song
E C#m5-/7 A B7
 Full of sweet promise, but something went wrong
E A9 A7M D9
 Doctors once prescribed a tonic
A7M C#m5-/7 D9 Bm5-/7 A7M C#m5-/7
 Sulfur and molasses was the dose
C#7 D7M D6 Dm6 D B7
 Didn t help one bit my condition must be chronic
D9 Bm5-/7 E Bm5-/7 C#m5-/7 F#7
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D9 A7M D9 A7M
 All alone, the party is over
D9 Dm6 A7M C#m5-/7 B7
 Old man winter was a gracious host
Cdim D7M Dm6 A C#7 F#7
 But when you keep praying for snow to hide the clover
D9 D E7/13 Bbm9 E7 Fdim A7M
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