

**A Perfect Sonnet**

**Bright Eyes**

**C**  
lately i ve been wishing i had one desire  
**Em**  
something that would make me never want another  
**Am**  
something that would make it so that nothing matters  
**D(b5)sus2**  
all would be clear then but i  
**C**  
guess i ll have to settle for a for a few brief  
moments and  
**Em**  
watch all dissolve into a single second  
**Am**  
and try to write it down into a perfect sonnet  
**D(b5)sus2**  
or one foolish line  
**F** **G** **Am**  
cauz that s all that you ll get so you ll have to  
**D(b5)sus2**  
accept  
**F** **G**  
you are here and then you re gone  
\*sing the chorus now\*  
**C**  
but i believe that lovers should be tied together and  
**Em**  
thrown into the ocean in the worst of weather and  
**Am**  
left there to drown, left there to drown  
**D(b5)sus2**  
in their innocence but  
**C**  
as for me i m coming to the final chapter  
**Em**  
i read all of the pages and there is still no answer  
**Am**  
only all that was before i know must soon come after  
**D(b5)sus2**  
that is the only way it can be  
**F** **G**  
so i stand in the sun  
**Am** **D(b5)sus2**  
and i breathe with my lungs  
**F** **G** **(Am)**  
trying to spare myself the weight of the truth  
saying

C

everything you have ever seen was just a mirror

Em

and you've spent your whole life sweating in an  
endless fever

Am

and now you are laying in a bathtub full of freezing

D(b5)sus2

water wishing you were a ghost

C

but once you knew a girl and you named her lover

Em

and danced with her in kitchens through the greenest

Am

summer but autumn came, she disappeared

D(b5)sus2

you don't remember where she said she was going to

F

G

Am

but you know that she is gone because she left you a

D(b5)sus2

song

F

G

that you don't want to sing

C

singing i believe that lovers should be chained  
together

Em

and thrown into a fire with their songs and letters

Am

and left there to burn, left there to burn in their

D(b5)sus2

arrogance

C

but as for me i'm coming to my final failure

Em

i've killed myself with changes trying to make it  
better

Am

but i still ended up becoming something other than

D(b5)sus2

what i had planned to be...ALRIGHT!!! [C,Em,Am, D(b5)]

C

now i believe that lovers should be draped in flowers

Em

and layed entwined together on a bed of clover

Am

and left there to sleep, left there to dream of their

D(b5)sus2 D(b5)sus2

happiness

End on this:

-1-1-1-1-1-1--0---3---

-1-1-1-1-1-1--0---1---  
-1-1-1-1-1-1--0---0---  
-----2---  
-----3---