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Emmy the Great

Artist - Emmy The Great

Song - 24

Album - First Love

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(It can be nice during the F G Am changes to use a Fmaj7 instead of a normal F)

Am **Am/B F** **C**
You are watching a programme for exactly an hour
G
All of these hours they will add up to a day
Am **F**
You will sit there till they re done now there are 24 to play
C **G**
And there are rims around your eyeballs by the 7th or the 8th
F **G** **Am**
But if you go to sleep tonight you will be older when you wake
F **G**
And you say one man is the parachute and the other is the knife that cuts
Am
the brakes

Am **Am/B F**
First we were born then we ran slowly out of luck
C **G**
You are still not Charles Bukowski and i am not Diane Cluck
Am **F**
And i would suck the life from you if there was any left to suck
C **G**
And i would love you if you told me there was something there to love
F
I would marry you for money
G
I would marry you for money
C **G** **Am**
I would marry you for money if it stuck
F **G** **Am**
I would marry you for money but i don t suppose you ll ever have enough

Am **Am/B F**
Man on the screen he has done more in a minute
C **G**
Than you have achieved in your whole entire life
Am **F**
When you finally realise i was the best thing you had init
C **G**
We ll be closing up your eyelids on the bed on which you die
F

And i ll be sorry if it happens to you

G

Sorry if it happens to you

C

G

Am

Sorry if it happens to you but

F

G

They say one life is the cancer and another is the blade that

Am

makes the cut

C

F

C

24 for every year that we have slipped

Am

G

Day by day into the neck of the abyss

C

F

C

And i am 24 today i don t believe i ll sit

Am

G

Through another year of this while you are sewing up your lips

F

And i ll be sorry that you happened to me

G

Sorry that you happened to me

C

G

Am

Sorry that you happened to me but

F

G

They say that one man is the accident the other is the hand that stops the

Am

blood

F

G

Am

And i am looking for the other one, for the hand to stop the blood