

That Summer  
Garth Brooks

- G** **Em**  
1. I went to work for her that summer, a teenage kid so far from home,  
**C** **D**  
she was a lonely widow woman, hell bent to make it on her own.  
**G**  
We were a thousands miles from nowhere,  
**Em**  
wheat fields as far as I could see,  
**C** - **D**  
both needing something from eachother,  
**G**  
not knowing yet what that might be.
- G** **Em**  
2. Till she came to me one evening, hot cup of coffee and a smile,  
**C** **D**  
in a dress that I was certain she hadn t worn in quite a while.  
**G**  
There was a difference in her laughter,  
**Em**  
there was a softness in her eyes,  
**C** - **D** **G**  
and on the air there was a hunger, even a boy could recognize.
- D** - **C**  
She had a need to feel the thunder,  
**G**  
to chase the lightning from the sky,  
**C** **D**  
to watch the storm and all it s wonders raging in her lovers eyes.  
**Em** - **D-C** **G**  
She had to ride the heat of passion, like a comet burning bright,  
**C** **D**  
rushing headlong in the wind, out where only dreams have been,  
**G** - **C** - **G**  
burning both ends of the night.
- G**  
3. That summer wind was all around me,  
**Em**  
nothing between us but the night,  
**C**  
and when I told her that I d never,  
**D**  
she softly whispered, That s alright!  
**G** **Em**  
And then I watched her hands of leather turn to velvet in a touch,

C - D

there s never been another summer,

G

when I have ever learned so much.

- C - D - G

+ REFRAIN (We .....eachother .....we)

G

4. I often think about that summer,

Em

the sweat, the moonlight and the lace,

C

D

and I have rarely held another, when I haven t seen her face.

G

And everytime I pass a wheat field,

Em

and watch it dancing in the wind,

C

although I know it isn t real,

D

G

I just can t help but feel her hungry arms again. + REFRAIN

C

D

rushing headlong in the wind, out where only dreams have been,

G

- C - D - G

burning both ends of the night.