

Aeroplanes And Stars
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[Intro]

C G Am F C G Am F

[Verse 1]

C G Am F
It wasn't all that long ago that you sat weaving dreams
C G Am F
But things don't look so rosy now you're this side of eighteen
C G Am F
It wasn't all that long ago you gazed up at the stars
C G Am F
And smiled because you know just who you are.

[Verse 2]

C G Am F
But suddenly the good time's gone and I just don't know why
C G Am F
And where did all the good times go, they never said goodbye
C G Am F
Well there's too much damned pollution here and I don't see no stars
C G Am F
Look in the mirror, say I don't know who you are.

[Chorus]

Am F G
But you've had much colder nights
Am F G
And things will be alright
C
Alright

[Link]

G Am F

[Verse 3]

C G Am F
And is it meant to set me free to know you're leaving town
C G Am F
To have no fear, you'll disappear, and I won't see you around
C G Am F
Well it doesn't make me happy and it doesn't make me smile
C G Am F
Because my heart don't take no notice of the miles

[Verse 4]

C **G** **Am** **F**
And you can call me stupid and you can call me naïve,
C **G** **Am** **F**
But I don't think that things will be that different when you leave
C **G** **Am** **F**
I've had you sitting next to me and being miles away
C **G** **Am** **F**
I think I'll be no better off if you would stay.

[Chorus]

Am **F** **G**
If I got down on my knees
Am **F** **G**
Asked you to set me free
C
You'd say no

[Verse 5]

C **G** **Am** **F**
So take me and break me darling, do what you will
C **G** **Am** **F**
Feed upon my dignity and leave me with the bill,
C **G** **Am** **F**
If we're honest, you never really did anything else
C **G** **Am** **F**
But you're my kryptonite, and that's something I can't help.

[Verse 6]

C **G** **Am** **F**
But I'll get strong and I'll move on without too many scars,
C **G** **Am** **F**
Learn to tell the difference between aeroplanes and stars,
C **G** **Am** **F**
You'd get old and still more cold and see the reason that you hid
C **G** **Am** **F**
Was I loved you in a way that no one did

[Chorus]

Am **F** **G**
If I cried my eyes red raw
Am **F** **G**
Til I could cry no more
C
And what for?

[Verse 7]

C **G** **Am** **F**
It wasn't all that long ago you understood the rules
C **G** **Am** **F**
Of love and life and unrequited underdogs and fools
C **G** **Am** **F**
But that was all before the last rule left you on the floor
C **G** **Am** **F**

And you don't understand a thing anymore

[Chorus]

Am **F** **G**
But you played the cards you're dealt

Am **F** **G**
However hard it felt

Am **A** **G**
And you smiled into the sky

Am **F** **G**
As she began to cry

C **G**
And you knew why

Am **G**
And you knew why

[Outro]

C G Am F C