

Late For The Sky
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[Verse 1]

C **G**
Of the words that all ve been spoken,
F **C**
somehow the feeling still wasn t right,
F **Am** **G** **F** **C**
and still we continued on through the night.
G
Tracing our steps from the beginning,
F **C**
till they vanished into the air.
F **Am** **G** **F** **C**
Trying to understand how our lives had led us there.

[Refrain]

F **Am** **G** **F** **G**
Looking hard into your eyes, there was nobody I d ever known.
F **Am** **G**
Such an empty surprise to feel so alone.

[Verse 2]

C **G**
Now for me, some words come easy
F **C**
but I know that they don t mean that much,
F **Am** **G** **C**
compared with the things that are said when lovers touch.
C **G**
You ll never knew what I loved in you,
F **C**
I don t know what you loved in me.
F **Am** **G** **F** **C**
Maybe the picture of somebody you were hoping I might be.

[Chorus]

F **Am** **G** **C G**
Awake again, I can t pretend and I know I am alone.

F **Am** **G C G**
 And close to the end of the feeling we ve known.
F **C**
 How long have I been sleeping?
F **Am** **G** **C**
 How long have I been drifting alone through the night?
F **Am**
 How long have I been dreaming I
G **C**
 could make it right if I close my eyes
F **Am**
 and try with all my might to be the one you need ...

[Chorus]

F **Am** **G** **C G**
 Awake again, I can t pretend and I know I am alone.
F **Am** **G C G**
 And close to the end of the feeling we ve known.
F **C**
 How long have I been sleeping?
F **Am** **G** **C**
 How long have I been drifting alone through the night?
F **Am**
 How long have I been running for
G **C**
 that morning flight through the whispered promises
F **C** **G**
 in the changing light of the bed where we both lie,
C
 late for the sky.