

The girl that never was
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Intro:

G

G
Darling I,

D
know we talked about it once too many times,
C
how there was something missing in our lives.

Em
A little life.

G
So we tried,

D
it was more than just a twinkle in your eye,
C
but some things you just don't get to decide.

Em
At least we tried,

C **D** **Em**
the first casualty of life is the plan,

C **D** **Em**
when I look back I'm not even sure that,

D
we were thinking.

G **D**
Somewhere, she's probably dancing with her blonde hair,

C
falling like ribbons on her shoulders,

Em **D**
just like we always saw.

G **D**
Bright eyes, spinning in circles in the sunlight,

C
darling, we tried but now it's over.

Em **D**
We had it all and then we lost,

G
the girl that never was.

G **D**
If I could say a million words to take away the pain

C
what kills me is you're trying to take the blame,

Em

you re not to blame.

G

I ll never say I told you so, sad I ve thought the words,

D

tried drowning you in happiness, I only make it worse,

C

we never should ve picked a name, cause now she has a face,

Em

and now no matter what we do, no one will take her place.

G Somewhere, she s probably dancing with her blonde hair,

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C

falling like ribbons on her shoulders,

Em

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just like we always saw.

G Bright eyes, spinning in circles in the sunlight,

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C

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C **D** **Em**
I know we ll never know you,

C **D** **Em**
I know we ll never hold you,

C **D** **Em** **D**
I never got to show you, my love.

G Cause somewhere, you re probably dancing with her blonde hair,

D

C

falling like ribbons on your shoulders,

Em

just like we always saw.

G Bright eyes, spinning in circles in the sunlight,

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