

**Cruel Summer**  
**Karen Elson**

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**G** **D**  
It s been a cruel summer  
**G**  
The sun has been hit by the storms  
**D**  
My darling was bewitched by another  
**G**  
Her black magic tricks stole his heart

**C** **G**  
I saw her screaming as she twirled her hair  
**D**  
So long and black like the storms  
**G** **C**  
She caught my darling s eye and as quickly as the lightning  
**G** **D** **G**  
I muttered a lonesome goodbye

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**G** **D**  
It s been a cruel summer  
**G**  
The kind that makes grown men turn pale  
**D**  
My darling was bewitched by another  
**G**  
I could not compete with black head

**C** **G**  
I saw her standing as she twirled her hair  
**D**  
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