

Waterlily

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[Intro]

Am F Am F
C F C F

[Verse]

C G C F
Caught between the air and the windless deep
C F G C
You float like a lily flower
G C F
And you look just like you fell to earth to sleep
C F G C
And you re waiting for your waking hour

[Chorus]

F G C F
And I swear to god I saw an angel hand attend you
C F G
But that was just the dancing of the light
C G Am F
No mortal or immortal did deliver or defend you
Dm7 G C
All hands have forsaken you tonight

[Verse]

G C F
Are you dreaming of a lover who will carry you away?
C F G C
And keep you from the crying of the crowd?
G C F
No cradle in the rushes, you are broken like the day
C F G C
And darkness all around you like a shroud

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G C F
When they finally surrounded you, did any of them face you?

C **F** **G** **C**
And did you curse the moon and stars above?
 G **C** **F**
Those cruel arms abandoned you for water to embrace you
 C **F** **G** **C**
Won t you lay your head, my waterlily love?

[Chorus]

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