

Butterfly
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[Intro] **A5 A5/G# F#m/C#**
F7+ G D A A5

D5
When you love someone so deeply
A9/C#
They become your life
D5 **A9/C#**
It s easy to succumb to overwhelming fears inside

D5
Blindly I imagined I could
F#m/C#
Keep you under glass
G
Now I understand to hold you
E4(7/9)
I must open up my hands
A
And watch you rise

E/G#
Spread your wings and prepare to fly
F#m/C#
For you have become a butterfly
C/F **G6**
Fly abandonedly into the sun
A **E/G#**
If you should return to me
F#m
We truly were meant to be
C/F **G D A**
So spread your wings and fly
Butterfly

D5
I have learned that beauty
A9/C#
Has to flourish in the light
D5
Wild horses run unbridled
A9/C#
Or their spirit dies
D5
You have given me the courage
F#m/C#
To be all that I can

G

And I truly feel your heart will

E4(7/9)

Lead you back to me when you re

A

Ready to land

E/G#

Spread your wings and prepare to fly

F#m/C#

For you have become a butterfly

C/F **G6**

Fly abandonedly into the sun

A **E/G#**

If you should return to me

F#m

We truly were meant to be

C/F **G D A**

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C#7/G#

I can't pretend these tears

C#7 **F#m**

Aren't overflowing steadily

C#7/G#

I can't prevent this hurt from

F#m

Almost overtaking me

F/G **C/G** **Am7**

But I will stand and say goodbye

Bb7+

For you'll never be mine

E4(7/9) **A**

Until you know the way it feels to fly

E/G#

Spread your wings and prepare to fly

F#m/C#

For you have become a butterfly

C/F **G6**

Fly abandonedly into the sun

A **E/G#**

If you should return to me

(I will know you're mine)

F#m

We truly were meant to be

C/F **G D A**

So spread your wings and fly

(My butterfly)

C/F **G2**

So flutter through the sky

D

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(**A5** **A5/G#** **F#m/C#**)

F7+

G

Spread your wings and fly

B4/E

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