The apologist
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Intro: | Am/Bm | Am(**C**)/Bm | Am/Bm | Am(**C**)/Bm |


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            Am        Bm    Am(C) Bm            Am          Bm      Am(C)  Bm
They call me the    apologist,       and now that I m at peak,
          Am       Bm     Am(C) Bm     Am  Bm                 Am(C)   Bm
You know at first it really hurt, we joke about these things,
         Am        Bm     Am(C)  Bm        Am         Bm      Am(C)   Bm
I ve skirted all my differences, but now I m facing up,
    Am        Bm Am(C)  Bm         Am       Bm      Am(C)   Bm
I wanted to apologise         for everything I was, So,
C                 D              F            G
I m sorry, So sorry, So sorry, So sorry,
C                 D              F            F
I m sorry, So sorry, So sorry,
Am         Bm     Am(C)   Bm              Am         Bm       Am(C)  Bm
Did you understand me right? The people here are good.
        Am         Bm      Am(C)          Bm        Am    Bm    Am(C) Bm
They tell me what I should have done, and offer what I could,
 Am  Bm   Am(C)  Bm       Am   Bm  Am(C)     Bm
I m good, all is good,       All s well, no complaints,
 Am        Bm    Am(C) Bm        Am        Bm        Am(C)    Bm
When I feel regret,              I get down on my knees and pray,
C                                D
I m sorry (So sorry), So sorry (So sorry),
F                             G
So sorry (So sorry), So sorry (So sorry),
 C                            D
I m sorry (So sorry), So sorry (So sorry),
F                             F
 So sorry (So sorry),
 | Am/Bm | Am(C)/Bm | Am/Bm | Am(C)/Bm |
C                 D                F                   G
I live a simple life, unfettered by complex sweets,
C                              D                         F              F
You think this isn t me? Don t be weak, There I go.
Am        Bm    Am(C) Bm        Am    Bm   Am(C)       Bm
I m so sorry,
Am         Bm      Am(C)  Bm          Am        Bm        Am(C)   Bm
Thank you for being there for me, thank you for listening, goodbye,
Am         Bm      Am(C)  Bm          Am        Bm        Am(C)   Bm
Am         Bm      Am(C)  Bm          Am        Bm        Am(C)    Bm
    I can forfeit selfishness,     I hope for you that you apply,
        Am        Bm     Am(C) Bm          Am         Bm        Am(C)    Bm
This happiness,              This peacefulness.
C                               D
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 F                              G
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 C                              D
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Thank you for being there for me, thank you for listening, goodbye,
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