

E Bye Love

Simon & Garfunkel

Song title: Bye Bye Love

Performed by: Simon and Garfunkel

Album: Bridge Over Troubled Water

Chords interpreted by: Hans Julian Sloman

Sound available on YouTube [/watch?v=d0gLnfSgdLA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d0gLnfSgdLA)

The song seems to be using only the chords B, F# and C# (and E5 in the intro); however there are multiple ways of creating those sounds.

Another version available on here tells you to play

A, E, and B, (and D5) while using a capo in 2nd fret.

However getting from E to B can be awkward for beginners,

so here s a version that I came up with that might make it

easier for you, while still being able to play along with the song

(e.g. not in a different key):

Capo 7th fret

INTRO: C A5 F F A5 C

[CHORUS]

F C

Bye bye, love.

F C

Bye bye, happiness.

F C

Hello, loneliness.

C G C

I think I m gonna cry.

F C

Bye bye, love.

F C

Bye bye, sweet caress.

F C

Hello, emptiness.

C G C

I feel like I could die.

C **G** **C**
Bye bye, my love, goodbye.

[VERSE 1]

C **G**
There goes my baby

G **C**
With someone new.

C **G**
She sure looks happy;

G **C**
I sure am blue.

C **F**
She was my baby

F **G**
till he stepped in.

G
Goodbye, to romance

G **C**
That might have been.

(CHORUS)

[VERSE 2]

C **G**
I m through with romance.

G **C**
I m through with love.

C **G**
I m through with counting

G **C**
The stars above,

C **F**
And here s the reason

F **G**
That I m so free:

G
My lovin baby

G **C**
Is through with me.

(CHORUS)

(repeat and fade) Goodbye, my love goodbye.Â-

(some more notes:

-7th fret is quite far up for a capo, so it only works on good acoustics or electric guitars

-play A5 simply like a normal A except you only hit the A, D and G string/or you can mute the B string.

-If you don't care for playing/singing along with the record, there are lots of easy variations available (e.g. Transposing, with change of key).

For example you could play C, G, and D; or D, A, and E; or you can play the version described here without a capo.