

**The Long  
Suede**

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lyrics and chords of: The Long Honeymoon by Elvis Costello And The Attractions

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**Em**  
All the bedroom lights go out  
**D**  
As the neighbourhood gets quiet  
**Am** **Em**  
Ev rything in heaven and earth is almost right

**Em**  
But there s a wife who s wond ring  
**D**  
Where her husband could be tonight  
**Am**  
And when the phone rang almost once  
**Em**  
She took a dreadful fright

**Em**  
Little things just seem to undermine  
**D**  
Her confidence in him  
**Am** **Em**  
He was late this time last week

**Em**  
Who can she turn to  
**D**  
When the chance of coincidence is slim  
**Am** **B+** **B9** **B**  
`Cause the baby isn t old enough to speak

**G#dim** **G** **D**  
There s been a long honeymoon  
**G#dim** **G** **D**  
She thought too late and spoke too soon

**C**

There s no money-back guarantee

**Bm**

On future happiness

**G#dim G F**

There s been a long honeymoon

**Fm**

**Eb**

If he s out on a date then her life s in ruins

**Ebm**

**Bb**

She never thought her love

**Ebm C# Cm Bm**

Could ever be as strong as this

**Em**

All the movies and the papers

**D**

Feature the murders of lonely women

**Am**

If he isn t in by ten

**Em**

She ll call up her best friend

**Em**

Why doesn t he come home

**D**

Why does her friend s phone keep on ringing

**Am B+ B9 B**

Maybe she should just pretend

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**G D Am Em**

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**G D Bbmaj7 Gadd9 D**

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**Bbmaj7 Gadd9 D**

Be as strong as this

**Bbmaj7 Gm7 D G#5**

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Original tune is c-minor!

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