

Fourth Of July
Sufjan Stevens

[Intro] Am G F
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F G C G
The evil it spread like a fever ahead
F G F
It was night when you died, my firefly
F G C G
What could I have said to raise you from the dead?
F G F
Oh could I be the sky on the Fourth of July?

G C
Well you do enough talk
G C G F
My little hawk, why do you cry?
G C G C
Tell me what did you learn from the Tillamook burn?
G F
Or the Fourth of July?
F G C G F
We re all gonna die

(F G C G F)

F G C G
Sitting at the bed with the halo at your head
F G F
Was it all a disguise, like Junior High
F G C G
Where everything was fiction, future, and prediction
F G F
Now, where am I? My fading supply

G C G C
Did you get enough love, my little dove
G F
Why do you cry?
G C G C
And I m sorry I left, but it was for the best
G F
Though it never felt right
F G C G F G
My little Versailles

(F G C G F G F)

F G C G
The hospital asked should the body be cast

F G F
Before I say goodbye, my star in the sky
F G C G
Such a funny thought to wrap you up in cloth

F G F
Do you find it all right, my dragonfly?

G C G C
Shall we look at the moon, my little loon

F
Why do you cry?

G C G C
Make the most of your life, while it is rife
G F
While it is light

G C
Well you do enough talk

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