

**Please Stay**  
**The Drifters**

...PLEASE STAY... by The Drifters

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Intro:

**F** **Bb**  
(Don t go), please stay,  
**F** **Bb**  
(Don t go), please stay.

Verse 1:

**Bb** **Dm**  
If I got on my knees, and I pleased with you,  
**Bb** **Dm**  
Not to go, but stay in my arms.  
**Eb** **F7** **Bb** **Ebm**  
Would you walk out the door, like you did once be-fore?  
**Bb** **F7** **Bb**  
But this time, be different; would you stay?

Interlude:

**F** **Bb** **F**  
(Don t go), please stay, (don t go).

Verse 2:

**Bb** **Dm**  
If I call out your name, like a prayer in the night,  
**Bb** **Dm**  
Would you leave me alone with my tears?  
**Eb** **F7** **Bb** **Ebm**  
Knowing I, I love you so; would you still turn and go?  
**Bb** **F7** **Bb**  
Or would this time, be different, in some way?

Interlude:

**F** **Bb**  
(Don t go), please stay,  
**F** **Bb**  
(Please stay).

Bridge 1:

**Eb** **Bb**  
 You took me away from the rest of the world,  
**F7** **Bb**  
 When you taught me to love you like this.  
**Eb** **Bb**  
 Now I hang by a thread, in the canyon of doom,  
**Gm** **Cm** **Dm** **F**  
 But I still can be saved.. by your kiss...

Verse 3:

**Bb** **Dm**  
 If I got on my knees, and I pleased with you,  
**Bb** **Dm**  
 Not to go, but stay in my arms.  
**Eb** **F7** **Bb** **Ebm**  
 Would you walk out the door, like you did once be-fore?  
**Bb** **F7** **Bb**  
 But this time, be different; would you stay?

Coda:

**F** **Bb**  
 (Don t go), please stay,  
**F** **Bb**  
 (Don t go, please stay.  
**F** **Bb**  
 (Don t go), please sta-ay-ay-ay-ay...

CHORD DIAGRAMS:

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<b>F</b>	<b>Bb</b>	<b>Dm</b>	<b>Eb</b>	<b>F7</b>	<b>Ebm</b>	<b>Gm</b>	<b>Cm</b>
EAD G B E	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EAD GB E	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE
x81010108	688766	x57765	x68886	x8108108	x68876	355333	x35543

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