

**All My Little Words**  
**The Magnetic Fields**

[Verse 1]

**A**  
You are a splendid butterfly  
**F#m**  
It is your wings that make you beautiful  
**E D**  
And I could make you fly away  
**A**  
But I could never make you stay  
**A**  
You said you were in love with me  
**F#m**  
Both of us know that that s impossible  
**E D**  
And I could make you rue the day  
**A**  
But I could never make you stay

[Chorus]

**E D**  
Not for all the tea in China  
**A**  
Not if I could sing like a bird  
**E D**  
Not for all North Carolina  
**A**  
Not for all my little words  
**E D**  
Not if I could write for you  
**A**  
The sweetest song you ever heard  
**E D**  
It doesn t matter what I ll do  
**A**  
Not for all my little words

[Verse 2]

**A**  
Now that you ve made me want to die  
**F#m**  
You tell me that you re unboyfriendable  
**E D**  
And I could make you pay in pain  
**A**  
But I could never make you stay

[Chorus]

**E D**

Not for all the tea in China

**A**

Not if I could sing like a bird

**E D**

Not for all North Carolina

**A**

Not for all my little words

**E D**

Not if I could write for you

**A**

The sweetest song you ever heard

**E D**

It doesn't matter what I'll do

**A**

Not for all my little words

**E D**

It doesn't matter what I'll do

**A**

Not for all my little words