

**Total Black**  
**The Stanfields**

[Intro]

**Dm**

[Verse]

**Dm**

When you left - I was done

**F**

I was broken clean in two

**Bb**

With overflowing pockets and a well appointed empty home

**Dm**

Was it all for nothing dear?

**F**

Curse this wicked tongue of mine

**Bb**

For the hurtful words that flowed and burned as only poison can

**Dm**

In my mind Iâ€™m a wreck

**F**

**Bb**

But on the surface Iâ€™m the typical shell of spit and steel

**Bb**

**F D# Gm**

Built to win and scared to be alone

**F D# Gm A Bb A G F Dm**

Alone

[Verse]

**Dm**

When you left I wasnâ€™t there

**F**

I was chasing a great white whale

**Bb**

Of my own invention on the lash and taking on all comers

**Dm**

Those who tread upon my path

**F**

Those who dared to call me out

**Bb**

Those who said I couldnâ€™t do a thing with the hand I was dealt

**Dm**

All I saw was total black

**F**

**Bb**

All I felt was pinpricks in my pride

**Bb**

**F D# Gm**

All I ever wanted was to win and never be alone

**F D# Gm A Bb A G F Dm**

Alone

[Interlude]

Dm F Bb Gm  
Dm A F  
Dm F Bb Gm  
Dm A F  
Dm

[Bridge]

Bb F Gm Dm  
When I lay down tonight with another nameless lover  
Bb F Gm Dm  
Iâ€™ll think of you despite being in the arms of another  
F Bb Gm F  
This lesson I have learned will see me to my grave  
F Bb  
This burden is well earned  
Gm Dm  
Iâ€™m eternally its slave

[Outro]

Dm F Bb Gm  
Dm A F  
Dm F Bb Gm  
Dm A F  
Dm F Bb Gm  
Dm A F  
Dm F Bb Gm  
Dm A F  
Dm