

ABSENCE MAKES THE HEART GROW FONDER

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F G7 C7 F
I'd be the last one that would bring
G7 G9 F6 / F#dim C7
A pain to hurt your heart
F G7 C7 F
I wouldn't do a single thing
G7 G9 F Gm7 Ddim F7
When we are far apart
Am E7 E7#5 Am
It's only fair to warn you
C G7 C B Cstop
Before you even start

verse 1

G9 F#9
If you should leave me, I know it would grieve me
Cm6 Bm6 Bbm6 D7hav
So honey please re - me - mber
Gm11 Gm7 Gm11 Bbm6 F Am
Absence makes the heart grow fo - nder
Bb C7 F F#dim C7inv
For somebody else

G9 F#9
I love you dearly, I'm yours sincerely
Cm6 Bm6 Bbm6 D7hav
But honey please re - me - mber
Gm11 Gm7 Gm11 Bbm6 F Am
Absence makes the heart grow fo - nder
Bb C7 F E F
For somebody else

Eb F7 Eb F+
When the cat's away the mice will play
Bb6 Bb Bb6 Bb
I don't say I will but still I may
F G7 F G+
I may be blue away from you
C F#dim C7 D7hav C7
And then again I may be gay

G9 **F#9**
When I get fretful, I get forgetful
Cm6 **Bm6** **Bbm6** **D7hav**
So honey please re - me - mber
Gm11 **Gm7** **Gm11** **Bbm6** **F** **Am**
Absence makes the heart grow fo - rder
Bb **C7** **F / F#dim** **C7inv** (end... **F** **Bb** **F**)
For somebody else

F **G7** **C7** **F** **verse 2**
You know that love can act so strange
G7 **G9** **F6** **F#dim** **C7**
Tho' it may be so strong
F **G7** **C7** **F**
And love will often bring a change
G7 **G9** **F** **Gm7** **Ddim** **F7**
When there is something wrong
Am **E7** **E7#5** **Am**
I've only this to tell you
C **G7** **C** **B** **Cstop**
Don't stay away too long
