

# Life is Just A Bowl of Cherries

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## Verse 1:

[Eb]People are queer, [Bbm]They're always [C7]crowing  
[Fm]Scrambling and [Abm]rushing [B7]a-[Bb7]bout  
[Eb]Why don't they [Cm7]stop some [Fm7]day [Bb7]  
[Fm7]Address them-[Bb7]selves this [Eb]way [Ebdim][Fm7][Bb7]

[Eb]Why are we here? [Bbm]Where are we [C7]going?  
[Fm]It's time that [G7]we found [Cm]out  
[Cm/maj7][Cm7][Cm6][F7]We're not [Cm7]here to stay [F7]  
We're on a [Abm]short [C7]hol [B7]i [Bb7]day [Bb13][Bb7+5]

## Chorus:

[Eb]Life is [Bb7]just a bowl of [Cm7]cherries  
Don't make it [Edim]serious,  
Life's too mys-[Bb7]terious  
You [Fm]work you [Bb7]save  
You [Eb]wor [Bbm]ry [C7]so,  
But you [Fm]can't take your [Bb7]dough  
When you [F9]go, [B7]go [Bb7]go

So [Eb]keep re-[Bb7]peating it's the [Cm7]berries  
The [Bbm]strongest [C7]oak must [Fm]fall [C7] [Fm]  
The [Adim]sweet things in life  
To [Gm]you were just [C7]loaned  
But [Fm]how can you [Bb7]lose  
What [F7]you've never [Bb7]owned  
[Eb]Life is [Bb7]just a [Bbm]bowl of [C7]cherries  
So [F7]live and [Fm7]laugh at [Bb9]it [Eb]all [Adim][Bb7]

## Chorus Repeat & End With:

So [F7]live and [Fm7]laugh at [Bb9]it [Eb]all