

# LULLABY OF BIRDLAND

George Shearing 1952

**Dm Bm7b5 E7 A7**

Lullaby of birdland that's what I

**Dm Bm7b5 Gm7 C7**

Always hear, when you sigh,

**F Dm7 Gm7 C7 F**

never in my wordland could there be words to reveal

**Em7b5 A7**

in a phrase how I feel

---

**Dm Bm7b5 E7 A7**

Have you ever heard two turtle doves

**Dm Bm7b5 Gm7 C7**

Bill and coo, when they love?

**F Dm7 Gm7 C7 F**

That's the kind of magic music we made with our lips

**C7 F**

When we kiss

---

**D7 Gm7**

And there's a weepy old willow

**C7 F**

He really knows how to cry

**D7 Gm7**

That's how I'd cry in my pillow

**C7 F Em7b5 A7**

If you should tell me farewell and goodbye now

---

**Dm Bm7b5 E7 A7**

Lullaby of birdland whisper low

**Dm Bm7b5 Gm7 C7**

Kiss me sweet, and we'll go

**F Dm7 Gm7 C7 Am7b5 D7b9**

Flying high in birdland, high in the sky up above

**Gm7 C7 F E6/9 ... F6/9**

All because we're in love

---