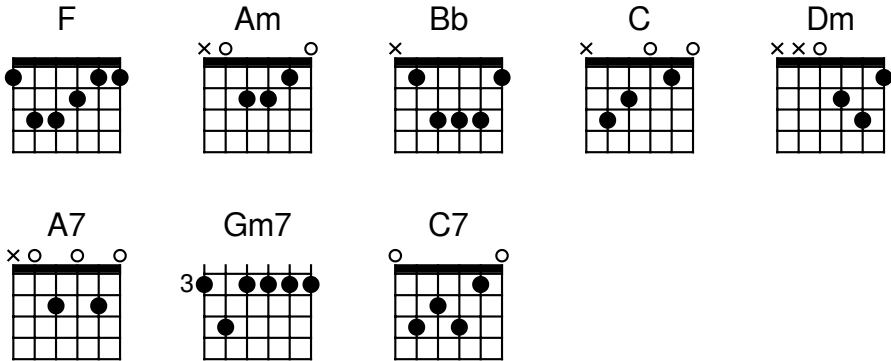


Once In a Very Blue Moon

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Verse 1:

[F] I found your [Am] letter in my [Bb] mailbox today
[F] You were just [C] checking if [Bb] I was [C] o- [F] -kay
And if I [Am] miss you, well, you [Bb] know what they say

Chorus:

Just once [C] in a [F] very blue [Dm] moon
Just [Bb] once in a [C] very blue [F] moon
Just [Bb] once [C] in a [A7] very blue [Dm] moon
And I [Bb] feel one [C] coming on [F] soon

Instrumental last line Chorus:

And I [Bb] feel one [C] coming on [F] soon

Verse 2:

No need to [Am] tell me if you'd [Bb] like to be friends
And [F] help me get [C] back on my [Bb] feet [C] a-[F]-gain
And if I [Am] miss you, well, it's [Bb] just now and then

Chorus:

Just once [C] in a [F] very blue [Dm] moon
Just [Bb] once in a [C] very blue [F] moon
Just [Bb] once [C] in a [A7] very blue [Dm] moon
And I [Bb] feel one [C] coming on [F] soon

Bridge:

There's a [Dm] blue moon [A7] shin-[Dm]-ing
When [F] I am reminded of [Gm7] all we've been [F] through
Such a [Dm] blue moon [A7] shin-[Dm]-ing
Does it [Bb] ever shine [Gm7] down on [C7] you [F]

Instrumental Bridge Break:

There's a [Dm] blue moon [A7] shin-[Dm]-ing
When [F] I am reminded of [Gm7] all we've been [F] through
Such a [Dm] blue moon [A7] shin-[Dm]-ing
Does it [Bb] ever shine [Gm7] down on [C7] you [F]

Verse 3:

You act as [Am] if it never [Bb] hurt you at all
Like [F] I'm the only [C] one who's getting [Bb] up from a [C] fa- [F] -all
Don't you [Am] remember [Bb] can't you recall?

Chorus:

Just once [C] in a [F] very blue [Dm] moon
Just [Bb] once in a [C] very blue [F] moon
Just [Bb] once [C] in a [A7] very blue [Dm] moon
And I [Bb] feel one [C] coming on [F] soon

Outro sung:

Just [Bb] once [C] in a [A7] very blue [Dm] moon

Instrumental Outro:

Just [Bb] once [C] in a [A7] very blue [Dm] moon