

# Leaving on a Jet Plane – John Denver (1966)/Peter, Paul & Mary

**Intro:** G /// Am /// C /// G /// G /// Am /// D /// D7 /// (start now)

## Chords

/ G C G C  
All-my bags are packed, I'm ready to go, I'm standing here outside your door  
G Em Am D  
I hate to wake you up to say goodbye.

G C G C  
But the dawn is breakin', it's early morn', the taxi's waitin', he's blowin' his horn,  
G Em D D7  
Already I'm so lonesome I could cry.

## Chorus

G C G C  
So kiss me and smile for me, tell me that you'll wait for me,  
G Em D D7  
hold me like you'll never let me go.

G C G C  
'Cause I'm leaving on a jet plane, don't know when I'll be back again,  
G Em Am D  
oh, babe, I hate to go.

G C G C  
There's so many times I've let you down, so many times I've played around,  
G Em D D7  
I tell you now .. they don't mean a thing.

G C G C  
Every place I go I'll think of you .. every song I sing I sing for you.  
G Em D D7  
when I come back I'll wear your wedding ring.

## Chorus

G C G C  
Now the time has come to leave you, one more time let me kiss you,  
G Em D D7  
Then close your eyes, I'll be on my way.

G C G C  
Dream about the days to come, when I won't have to leave alone,  
G Em D D7  
about the times I won't have to say.

**Chorus, repeating line 3 (3 times) then end with:**

G Em Am D  
Oh, babe, I hate to go {slow}

