

JOLENE (DOLLY PARTON, 1973)

(Capo 2)

Intro: Am (4 bars)

Chorus:

Am C G Am G Am
Jolene, Jolene, Jolene, Jolene, I'm begging of you, please don't take my man

Am C G Am G Em Am
Jolene, Jolene, Jolene, Jolene, please don't take him just because you can

Am C G Am
Your beauty is beyond compare, with flaming locks of auburn hair

G Em Am C
With ivory skin and eyes of emerald green. Your smile is like a breath of spring

G Am G Em Am
Your voice is soft like summer rain, and I cannot compete with you, Jolene

Am C G Am
He talks about you in his sleep, there's nothing I can do to keep

G Em Am
From crying when he calls your name, Jolene

Am C G Am
And I can easily understand, how you could easily take my man

G Em Am
But you don't know what he means to me, Jolene. (Chorus)

Am C G Am
You could have your choice of men, But I could never love again

G Em Am
He's the only one for me, Jolene

Am C G Am
I had to have this talk with you, my happiness depends on you

G Em Am
And whatever you decide you'll do, Jolene (Chorus)