

After You've Gone

Henry Creamer & Turner Layton 1918 practice sheet at ukesterbrown.com 2012 (1st note sung is a "C")

(Verse 1)

F G7 C7
Now won't you listen dearie while I say,
F G7 C7
How could you tell me that you're goin' away
A7 Dm A7 Dm
Don't say that we must part,
G7 C7
Don't break my aching heart;
F G7 C7
You know I've love you truly many years,
F7 Bb
Loved you night and day;
Bdim F D7
How can you leave me, can't you see my tears?
G7 C7 F F+
Listen while I say....

(1st Chorus)

Bb Bbm
After you've gone and left me cryin',
F D7
After you've gone there's no denyin',
G7 C7
You'll feel blue, you'll feel sad,
F C7
You'll miss the dearest pal that you have ever had.
Bb Bbm
There'll come a time now don't forget it
F D7
There'll come a time when you regret it.
Gm Cdim Gm Bbm
Some day when you grow lonely,
F A7 Dm Fdim
Your heart will break like mine and you'll want me only,
F C7 F
After you've gone, after you've gone away.

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(Verse 2)

F G7 C7
Don't you remember how you used to say
F G7 C7
You'd always love me in the same old way
A7 Dm A7 Dm
And now it's very strange
G7 C7
That you should ever change
F G7 C7
Perhaps some other sweetie's won your heart
F7 Bb
Tempted you away
Bdim F D7
But let me warn you tho' we're miles apart
G7 C7 F F+
You'll regret some day...

(2nd chorus)

Bb Bbm
After I'm gone, after we break up,
F D7
After I'm gone you're gonna wake up;
G7 C7
You will find you were blind
F C7
To let somebody come along and change your mind.
Bb Bbm
After the years we've been together,
F D7
Through joy and tears, all kinds of weather,
Gm Cdim Gm Bbm
Some day blue and down-hearted,
F A7 Dm Fdim
You'll long to be with me again back where you started,
F C7 F Bbm F
After I'm gone, after I'm gone away.