C                          Cm6
Once I had a gal, As sweet as she could be.
C                             C#dim
Once I had a gal, And she was right for me.
Dm6                          Ddim
Kinda sandy hair, Eyes so soft and blue
C                                 Dm6                           G7
That you couldn't help but care, When she looked at you.
C#dim  Ddim   D#dim    Dm6         G7                   C     Dm6  G7
She  called   me       "baby"... "baby", all the time.

C                               Cm6
She said, "baby, can't you see? baby, understand
C                             C#dim
Baby, you're for me, Won't you take my hand? "
Dm6                              Ddim
But I pushed her away, Wouldn't let her near
C                                              Dm6                    G7  C#dim
Pushed her far away, Now I'm wishing I could hear her
Ddim   D#dim     Dm6         G7                   C     Dm6  G7
Call       me        "baby"... "baby", all the time.

-interlude-

C                                    Cm6
It's so lonely through the day, Lonely through the night,
C                                                  C#dim
Lonely, lonely hours, Without that gal I held so tight.
Dm6                                   Ddim
Lord, I pray that you, Will listen to my plea.
C                                        Dm6                           G7
Keep her close to you, So she'll come back to me,
C#dim  Ddim D#dim  Dm6       G7                   C     Dm6  G7
And      call        me      "baby"... "baby", all the time.
Dm6     G7                 C
Baby... Baby, all the time.