

Beside An Open Fireplace

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Verse 1:

F Fdim C7
Nature is sleeping out in the gloom
F Fdim C7
Shadows are creeping inside my room
F A7 Dm E7 Am**
Logs all aglow in the fireplace there
D7 Dm G7 C7
Lonely I'm dreaming in my old armchair

Chorus:

F Fdim F Bbm6 C7 F F7 D7 Gm D7
Beside An O—-pen Fireplace, I sit and dream of you
Gm Bbm6 C7 Dm
In ev—ery flame I see your face,
G7 C7 C+
That time and space- will not erase
F Fdim F Bbm6 C7 F F7 D7 Gm D7
And when the coo-ling embers die, Just as your love died too
Gm Bbms C7 F C#7 Gm C7 F
There's noth—ing in my fireplace, But broken dreams of you

Verse 2:

F Fdim C7
Darkness is falling, stars light the sky
F Fdim C7
Nightbirds are calling, night breezes sigh
F A7 Dm E7 Am**
Here all alone I am sad and blue,
D7 Dm G7 C7
You would return, dear, if you only knew

(Play the Am as 2003 to help your melody line)