

Let A Smile Be Your Umbrella

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Verse 1:

C G G7 C G G7 C
Once I met a happy little bluebird, I was just as blue as I could be
G G7 C B7 B Em D D7 G G7
In a little while, I began to smile, When he sang this merry song to me:

C G7 Gdim G7
Just let a smile be your umbrella, On a rainy, rainy day
C Cdim C
And if your sweetie cries just tell her, That a smile will always pay
C7
Whenever skies are gray don't worry or fret
D7 G7
A smile will bring us sunshine and you'll never get wet
C A7 D7 G7 C
So let a smile be your umbrella, On a rainy, rainy day

Verse 2:

C G G7 C G G7 C
As I listened to that happy bluebird- I soon learned his smart philosophy
G G7 C B7 B Em D D7 G G7
On my window sill- He began to trill- This is what he had to say to me:

C G7 Gdim G7
Just let a smile be your umbrella, On a rainy, rainy day
C Cdim C
And if your sweetie cries just tell her, That a smile will always pay
C7
Whenever skies are gray don't worry or fret
D7 G7
A smile will bring us sunshine and you'll never get wet
C A7 D7 G7 C
So let a smile be your umbrella on a rainy, rainy day