

The Grudge
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[Verse 1]

Bb Bb

I have nightmares each week 'bout that Friday in May
One phone call from you and my entire world was changed

Gm

Trust that you betrayed, confusion that still lingers
Took everything I loved and crushed it in between your fingers

Bb

And I doubt you ever think about the damage that you did
But I hold onto every detail like my life depends on it

Gm

My undying love, now I hold it like a grudge
Now I hear your voice every time that I think I'm not enough

[Chorus]

Eb

And I try to be tough, but I wanna scream
How could anybody do the things you did so easily?

Bb

And I say I don't care, I say that I'm fine

Cm

But you know I can't let it go, I've tried, I've tried, I've tried for so long

Gm

F

Eb

It takes strength to forgive, but I don't feel strong

[Verse 2]

Bb

The arguments that I've won against you in my head
In the shower, in the car, and in the mirror before bed

Gm

Yeah, I'm so tough when I'm alone, and I make you feel so guilty
And I fantasize about a time you're a little fuckin' sorry

Bb

And I try to understand why you would do this all to me
You must be insecure, you must be so unhappy

Gm

And I know, in my heart, hurt people hurt people
And we both drew blood, but, man, those cuts were never equal

[Chorus]

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Gm F Eb Bb

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[Bridge]

Gm

Cm

Eb

Ooh, oohooh, do you think I deserved it all?

Gm

Cm

Eb

Ooh, oohooh, your flower's filled with vitriol

F

You built me up to watch me fall

You have everything, and you still want more

[Outro]

Eb

I try to be tough, I try to be mean

But even after all this, you're still everything to me

Bb

And I know you don't care, I guess that that's fine

Cm

But you know I can't let it go, I've tried, I've tried, I've tried for so long

Gm

F

Gm

F

It takes strength to forgive, but I'm not quite sure I'm there yet

Gm

F

Eb Bb

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