

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**

It takes strength to forgive, but