

Dreams Go By

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(LIVE VERSION)

Intro: |Dm|---|C|---

Whistle

|F|---|Bb|---|C|---|Dm|-|Am||Gm||C|---

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F C
There you stand in your dungarees
Dm C
Looking all grown up and so very pleased
F C
When you write your poems they have so much to say
Dm C
When you speak your dreams it takes my breath away

Bb
You know I want to be a ball player
F C/G Dm Dm7
A regular slugging fool
Bb C
But I guess our dreams must wait awhile
Bb C F
Until we finish school

C F
And so you and I
Bb
We watch our years go by
C
We watch our sweet dreams fly
Dm Am Gm
Far away, but maybe someday

F
I don't know when
Bb
But we will dream again
C
And we'll be happy then
Dm Am Gm C
Till our time just drifts away

There you stand in your wedding dress
You're so beautiful that I must confess
I'm so proud you have chosen me
When a doctor is what you want to be

You know I want to be a painter, girl
A real artistic snob
But I guess we'll have our children first
You'll find a home, I'll get a job

And so you and I
We watch our years go by
We watch our sweet dreams fly
Far away, but maybe someday

I don't know when
But we will dream again
And we'll be happy then
Till our time just drifts away

Dm **C**
Listen to the seasons passing
Bbadd9 **Bbmaj7**
Listen to the wind blow
Dm **C**
Listen to the children laughing
Bbmaj7 **Bb** **C**
Where do broken dreams go?

There you stand in your tailored suit
So many years gone by, but you're still so
cute
We take the car to go and meet the bus
When our grandchildren come to visit us

You say you should have been a ballerina,
babe

There are songs I should have sung
But I guess our dreams have come and
gone

You've gotta dream when you are young

And so you and I
We've watched our years go by
We've watched our sweet dreams fly
Far away, but maybe someday

I don't know when
But we will dream again
And we'll be happy then
Till our time just drifts away

-Instrumental break- [Chorus chords,
WHISTLE]

I don't know when
But we will dream again
And we'll be ha-ha-happy then
Till our time just drifts away

Oh you - you and I
We'll watch our years go by
We'll watch our sweet, sweet dreams fly
Far away

I don't know when
But we will dream again
And we'll be happy then
Till our time just drifts away