

I'm A Drifter

Chords And Lyrics

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Intro – C-F-C-F-C-F-C-F

C G6 Am Am/G
You knew I could not stay for long when you asked me

F Dm Gsus G
To come over in the wee hours of the mornin'

C G6 Am Am/G
I said I could not let the sunrise catch me sleepin'

F Dm Gsus G
And that is why I've given you fair warnin'

E7 Am Am/G
And though you might have loved me like I never ever

F Dm Em
Have been loved before your front door is open

Am Gsus G
And I've got to keep on movin'

C G6 Am Am/G
So I will stay with you a while - and then I'll let my hitch hike

F Dm Gsus G
Thumb take me to where I wanna

C G6 Am Am/G
Because I've got to keep on searchin' for the dream

F Dm Gsus G
That I've been seekin'- since I left my Oklahoma

E7 Am Am/G
And who's to say that I might not be back tomorrow

F Dm Em
If I find there's only sorrow - You may see me from your

Am Gsus G
Windowsill next mornin'

C G6 Am G
 I'm a drifter - and I've seen the rain
 C G6 Am Am/G
 I'm a drifter - and I've felt the pain the pain that comes with
 Am Am/G
 loneliness
 F Em F Em
 So I drift from town to town - searchin' all around
 F Em Dm
 Lookin' for the answer to my sorrow - And if the answer is you
 Gsus G C F C F C F C F
 Then I'll be back tomorrow

C G6 Am Am/G
 Lets make the most of time before the break of day
 F Dm Gsus G
 But don't try to make me stay if I don't want to
 C G6 Am Am/G
 Because I've got to keep on searchin' for that dream and you
 F Dm G sus G
 can't bind me with the simple words I love you
 E7 Am Am/G
 But if I realize the dream that I've been searchin' for is
 F Dm
 Waitin' here behind your door
 Em Am Gsus G
 Then I'll come back to stay if you still want me too

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