# Forever Autumn

Jeff Wayne, Gary Osborne, Paul Vigrass 1969 (recorded by Justin Hayward)

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**INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /**

 **[Em] [Em] [Em] [Em]**

**A |-2-0-2---0-------|-2-0-2---0-------|-2-0-2---0-------|---------2---7---|**

**E |-------3---2-3-0-|-------3---2-3-0-|-------3---2-3-0-|-0---3-----------|**

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**[Em]** The summer sun is fading as the **[D]** year grows old **[D]**

**/** **[C]** And **[G]** darker **/** **[Am]** days are **[G]** drawing **/** **[D]** near **/** **[D] /**

**[C]** The winter winds will be much **[D]** colder **[D]↓**

Now you're not

 **[Em]here [Em] [Em] [Em]**

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**[Em]** I watch the birds fly south across the **[D]** autumn sky **[D]**

**/** **[C]** And **[G]** one by **/** **[Am]** one they **[G]** disap-**/[D]**pear **/ [D] /**

**[C]** I wish that I was flying **[D]** with them **[D]↓**

Now you're not **[Em]** here **[Em]**

**/** **[C]** Like a **[G]** song through the **/** **[F]** trees you came to **[Em]** love me **[Em]**

**/** **[C]** Like a **[G]** leaf on a **/** **[F]** breeze you blew a-**[Em]**way **[Em]** **/** **[Am]** **/** **[Am]↓**

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**[Em]** Through autumn's golden gown we used to **[D]** kick our way **[D]**

**/** **[C]** You **[G]** always **/** **[Am]** loved this **[G]** time of **/** **[D]** year **/ [D] /**

**[C]** Those fallen leaves lie undis-**[D]**turbed now **[D]↓**

'Cause you're not **[Em]** here **[Em]**

'Cause you're not **[D]** here **[D]**

'Cause you're not **[Em]** here **[Em]**

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 **[Em] [Em] [Em] [Em]**

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**[Em]** A gentle rain falls softly on my **[D]** weary eyes **[D]**

**/** **[C]** As **[G]** if to **/** **[Am]** hide a **[G]** lonely **/** **[D]** tear **/ [D] /**

**[C]** My life will be forever **[D]** autumn **[D]↓**

'Cause you're not **[Em]** here **[Em]**

'Cause you're not **[D]** here **[D]**

'Cause you're not **[Em]** here **[Em]**

'Cause you're not **[D]** here **[D]**

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