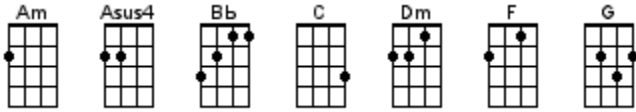


Forever Autumn

Jeff Wayne, Gary Osborne, Paul Vigrass 1969 (recorded by Justin Hayward 1976)



INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[Am] / [Am] / [Am] / [Asus4][Am] /

[Am] The summer sun is fading as the **[G]** year grows old **[G]**
/ **[F]** And **[C]** darker / **[Dm]** days are **[C]** drawing / **[G]** near / **[G]** /
[F] The winter winds will be much **[G]** colder **[G]**↓
Now you're not **[Am]** here **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Asus4][Am]** /

[Am] I watch the birds fly south across the **[G]** autumn sky **[G]**
/ **[F]** And **[C]** one by / **[Dm]** one they **[C]** disap- / **[G]**pear / **[G]** /
[F] I wish that I was flying **[G]** with them **[G]**↓
Now you're not **[Am]** here **[Am]**

/ **[F]** Like a **[C]** song through the / **[Bb]** trees you came to **[Am]** love me **[Am]**
/ **[F]** Like a **[C]** leaf on a / **[Bb]** breeze you blew a-**[Am]**way **[Am]** / **[Dm]** / **[Dm]**↓

[Am] / [Am] / [Am] / [Asus4][Am] /

[Am] Through autumn's golden gown we used to **[G]** kick our way **[G]**
/ **[F]** You **[C]** always / **[Dm]** loved this **[C]** time of / **[G]** year / **[G]** /
[F] Those fallen leaves lie undis-**[G]**turbed now **[G]**↓

'Cause you're not **[Am]** here **[Am]**
'Cause you're not **[G]** here **[G]**
'Cause you're not **[Am]** here **[Am]**

/ **[F]** Like a **[C]** song through the / **[Bb]** trees you came to **[Am]** love me **[Am]**
/ **[F]** Like a **[C]** leaf on a / **[Bb]** breeze you blew a-**[Am]**way **[Am]** / **[Dm]** / **[Dm]**↓

[Am] / [Am] / [Am] / [Asus4][Am] /

[Am] A gentle rain falls softly on my **[G]** weary eyes **[G]**
/ **[F]** As **[C]** if to / **[Dm]** hide a **[C]** lonely / **[G]** tear / **[G]** /
[F] My life will be forever **[G]** autumn **[G]**↓

'Cause you're not **[Am]** here **[Am]**
'Cause you're not **[G]** here **[G]**
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