# Urge For Going

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

**[Db] / [Db6] / [C] / [C] /**

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**[C]** I awoke to-**[Bb6]**day and found

The **[Bb6]** frost perched on the **[C]** town

It **[Bb6]** hovered in a **[C]** frozen sky

**[Bb6]** Then it gobbled summer **[C]** down

**[F]** When the sun turns **[Eb]** traitor cold an’

**[F]** All the trees are **[Eb]** shiverin’, in a **[G]** naked row **[G7]**

I **[C]** get the urge for **[Bb]** goin’

But I **[Bb]** never seem **[C]** to go **/ [Csus4][C]**

**CHORUS:**

I **[Bb]** get the **[F]** urge for **[C]** goin’ when

**[Bb]** The meadow **[F]** grass is **[C]** turnin’ brown an’

**[Bb]** Summer-**[F]**time is **[C]** fallin’ down an’

**[C]** Winter’s **[Bb6]** closin’ **[C]** in **[C]**

I **[C]** had me a man in **[Bb6]** summertime

**[Bb6]** He had summer-coloured **[C]** skin

And **[Bb6]** not another **[C]** girl in town

**[Bb6]** My darlin’s heart could **[C]** win

But **[F]** when the leaves fell **[Eb]** on the ground an’

**[F]** Bully winds came a-**[Eb]**round

Pushed them face down **[G]** in the snow **[G7]**

He **[C]** got the urge for **[Bb]** goin’

And I **[Bb]** had to let him **[C]** go **/ [Csus4][C]**

**CHORUS:**

He **[Bb]** got the **[F]** urge for **[C]** goin’ when

**[Bb]** The meadow **[F]** grass was **[C]** turnin’ brown an’

**[Bb]** Summer-**[F]**time was **[C]** fallin’ down an’

**[C]** Winter was **[Bb6]** closin’ **[C]** in **[C]**

Now the **[C]** warriors of **[Bb6]** winter

They give a **[Bb6]** cold, triumphant **[C]** shout

And **[Bb6]** all that stays is **[C]** dyin’

All that **[Bb6]** lives is gettin’ **[C]** out

**[F]** See the geese in **[Eb]** chevron flight

**[F]** Flappin’ and a-**[Eb]**racin’ on be-**[G]**fore the snow **[G7]**

They **[C]** got the urge for **[Bb]** goin’

And they **[Bb]** got the wings so **[C]** they can go **/ [Csus4][C]**

**CHORUS:**

They **[Bb]** get the **[F]** urge for **[C]** goin’ when

**[Bb]** The meadow **[F]** grass is **[C]** turnin’ brown an’

**[Bb]** Summer-**[F]**time is **[C]** fallin’ down an’

**[C]** Winter’s **[Bb6]** closin’ **[C]** in **[C]**

**[Db] / [Db6] / [C] / [C]**

I’ll **[C]** ply the fire with **[Bb6]** kindlin’ now

I’ll pull the **[Bb6]** blankets up to my **[C]** chin

**[Bb6]** I’ll lock the vagrant **[C]** winter out

And I’ll **[Bb6]** bolt my wan-**[C]**derin’ in

I’d **[F]** like to call back **[Eb]** summertime

**[F]** Have her stay **[Eb]** for just another **[G]** month or so **[G7]**

But she’s **[C]** got the urge for **[Bb]** goin’

So I **[Bb]** guess she’ll have to **[C]** go **/ [Csus4][C]**

**CHORUS:**

She **[Bb]** gets the **[F]** urge for **[C]** goin’ when

**[Bb]** The meadow **[F]** grass is **[C]** turnin’ brown an’

**[Bb]** All her **[F]** empire’s **[C]** fallin’ down an’

**[C]** Winter’s **[Bb6]** closin’ **[C]** in **[C]**

And I **[Bb]** get the **[F]** urge for **[C]** goin’ when

**[Bb]** The meadow **[F]** grass is **[C]** turnin’ brown an’

**[Bb]** Summer-**[F]**time is **[C]** fa…**[C]**a…llin’ **[Csus4]** down **[Csus4]**

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