# The Aeroplane

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

**[G]** If I had the **[D]** blueprint or the **[Em]** brain

**[C]** I would **[G]** build an aero-**[D]**plane

I’d **[G]** fashion wings of **[D]** balsa wood and **[Em]** glue **[D]**

And **[C]** I would **[D]** fly to **[G]↓** you

I’d **[Em]** carve a prop from **[C]** old recycled **[G]** would haves

All **[D]** these relentless **[Em]** could haves

These **[C]** pointless might have **[D]↓** beens

Oh the **[G]** storms that I would **[D]** gladly battle **[Em]** through **[D]**

So **[C]** I could **[D]** fly to **[G]↓** you

**[G]** Had I the **[D]** method or the means **/ [Em] [D] /**

**[C]** I would **[G]** build a time **[D]** machine

I’d **[G]** make it from the **[D]** scraps you always **[Em]** find **[D]**

When **[C]** someone leaves their **[D]** broken dreams **[G]** behind

And I’d **[Em]** fuel it with the **[C]** beats that my heart **[G]** misses

When you **[D]** sign your name with **[Em]** kisses

Made of **[C]** x’s when you **[D]↓** text me**,** it’s so silly but

**[G]** Any fuel and **[D]** any fire **[Em]** will do **[D]**

**[C]** I will **[D]** fly to **[G]** you

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