

Gordon Lightfoot - If You Could Read My Mind

Tom: C

^G If you could read my mind, love,
^F What a tale my thoughts could tell.
^G Just like an old time movie,
^F 'Bout a ghost from a wishing well.
^G In a castle dark,
^C Or a fortress strong, with chains upon my feet.
^C You know that ghost is me,
^C And I will never be set free,
^C As long as I'm a ghost that you can't see.

^G If I could read your mind, love,
^F What a tale your thoughts could tell.
^G Just like a paperback novel,
^F The kind the drugstores sell.
^G Then you reached the part

Where the heartaches come, the hero would be me.

^C But heroes often fail.
^C And you won't read that book again,
^C Because the ending's just too hard to take.
^G I'd walk away
^C Like a movie star, who gets burned in a three-way
script.
^C Enter number two:
^C A movie queen to play the scene
^C Of bringing all the good things out in me
^C But for now, love, let's be real.
^C I never thought, I could feel this way.
^C And I've got to say that I just don't get it.
^C I don't know where we went wrong,
^C But the feeling's gone, and I just can't get it back.
^G If you could read my mind ...
^F But for now, love ...

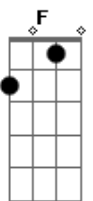
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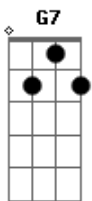
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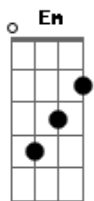
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