

The love you leave behind

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Verse 1

C7 Bb F C Bb

We've cleared off the ta-ble 'left o-vers' saved washed the dish-es and put them a way.

4 F C7 F Bb

I've told you a sto-ry tucked you in tight at the end of your knock a bout day

8 C F Dm Bb F Bb

When the moon sets her sail to car-ry you to sleep, o-ver the mid night

12 C7 F Gm Am Bb F C7 F

sea, I will sing you a song no one sang to me, may it keep you good com-pa-ny.

Chorus

17 F C Bb C Bb C7 F

Oh you can be an-y-bo-dy you want to be you can love whom e-ver you will. You can

22 F C Bb C Bb C7 F

tra-vel an-y coun-try that your heart needs and know that I will love you still. You can

26 F Dm Bb C Bb C

live by your-self you can ga-ther friends a round you can choose one spe-cial one, But the

30 F Dm Bb C Bb C7 F

on-ly mea sure of your words & your deeds will be the love you leave be hind when you're done.

Verse 2

34 C7 Bb F C Bb F

There are girls who grow up strong and bold there are boys qui-et & kind... Some

39 C7 F Bb C

race on a-head some fol-low be hind, some go in their own_ way & time. Some

43 F Dm Bb F Bb C7

wo-men love wo-men some men love men some raise chil dren some ne ver do. You can

47 F Gm Am Bb F C7 F [sing Chorus]

dream all the days ne-ver reach-ing the end of ev-'ry-thing poss-i- ble for you.

Verse 3

51 F Am Bb C

Don't be rat-tled by names by taunts by games_ but seek out_ spi-rits true. If you

56 F Dm Am Bb C7 [sing Chorus]

give your friends_ the best part of your self they'll give the same back to you.

Coda (stand and sing a capella)

60 F Dm Bb C

Yes the on - ly mea sure of your words & your deeds_____ will be the

63 Bb rall. C7 F

love you leave be - hind when you're done.