

The First of May

The Bee Gees (Arr. Wayne Richmond 2013)

C = 60

F C G (Cymbal roll)

F1.

Vla.

B. Cl.

Glk.

Hp.

A (VI: piano only)

C (Marjorie) Em F C G

S.

When I was small and Christ-mas trees were tall, we used to love while oth-ers used to play. Don't

A.

10 C Em F C G (Cymbal roll)

S.

ask me why, but time has passed us by, some-one else moved in from far a - way. Now

Vla.

B One stroke per chord (4 bars)

14 F C Dm F C C⁷ (All women)

S.

we are tall, and Christ-mas trees are small and you don't ask the time of day. But

Vla.

Glk.

18 F C Dm F C G⁷ (Cymbal roll)

S. you and I our love will ne-ver die, yes we'll cry come First of May. The

T. Aah The

B. Aah

Vla.

Glk.

22 C Em F C G

S. ap-ple tree that grew for you and me, I watched the ap-ples fall-ing one by one. And_

T. ap-ple tree that grew for you and me, I watched the ap-ples fall-ing one by one. And_

B. And_

F1.

Vla.

B. Cl. *p*

26 C Em F C G (All)

S. I re-call the mo-ment of them all, the day I kissed your cheek and you were gone. Now

T. I re-call the mo-ment of them all, the day I kissed your cheek and you were gone.

B. I re-call the mo-ment of them all, the day I kissed your cheek and you were gone.

F1.

V1.

Vla.

B. Cl.

D

30 F C Dm F C C7

S. we are tall, and Christ-mas trees are small and you don't ask the time of day. But

A. But

T. But

B. But

Tpt.

F1.

Vla.

B. Cl.

Glk.

34 **E** F C Dm F C *(Cymbal roll)*
(Marjorie)

S. you and I our love will ne-ver die, yes we'll cry come First of May. When

A. you and I our love will ne-ver die, yes we'll cry come First of May.

T. you and I our love will ne-ver die, yes we'll cry come First of May.

B. you and I our love will ne-ver die, yes we'll cry come First of May.

Tpt.

F1.

Vla.

B. Cl.

Glk.

38 **F** C Em F rall C G *(All women)*
(Marjorie)

S. I was small and Christ-mas trees were tall, we used to love while oth-ers used to play. Don't

Vla.

Glk.

42 C Em *(All)* p F C G

S. ask me why, but time has passed us by, some-one else moved in from far a - way.