

# A Long December

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## INTRO (twice)

F | Bb | Gm | Bb |

## VERSE 1

Bb | F | C  
A long De-cember and there's reason  
| Gm | Bb |  
To bel-ieve, Maybe this year will be  
F | Gm | Bb |  
Better than the last  
Gm | Bb |  
I can't remem-ber the  
F | C  
Last thing that you said, as you  
| Gm |  
Were leavin' But those  
F | Gm | Bb  
Days go by so fast

## CHORUS

| F | Bb |  
And it's one more day up in the  
| Gm | Bb |  
cany-ons ..And it's  
F | Bb | Gm |  
one more night in Hollywood  
Bb | F |  
..If you think that I might  
Bb | Gm | Bb | F  
be forgiven, ..wish you would  
  
| Bb | Gm | Bb |  
La la la, la...la la, la...la, la-la...la la  
F | Bb | Gm | Gm |  
...la, la-la, la yeah

## VERSE 2

Bb | F | C  
The smell of hospitals in win-ter  
| Gm | Bb |  
And the feeling that it's all a lot of  
F | Gm | Bb |  
Oysters, with no pearls  
Gm | Bb |  
All at once you look  
F | C  
Across a crowded room, To see the

Gm | F | Gm | Bb  
way that light att-aches to a girl

## CHORUS

| F | Bb |  
And it's one more day up in the  
| Gm | Bb |  
cany-ons ..And it's  
F | Bb | Gm |  
one more night in Hollywood  
Bb | F |  
you think you might come to  
Bb | Gm | Bb | F  
California—think you should  
  
| Bb | Gm | Bb |  
La la la, la...la la, la...la, la-la...la la  
F | Bb | Gm | Gm |  
...la, la-la, la yeah

Am | Am | Am | C |  
Am | Am | Bb | Bb |  
C | C | C | C |  
C | C | Bb | Bb |

## VERSE 3

Bb | F | C  
Drove up to Hillside Manor sometime a  
| Gm | Bb |  
After two a-.m. And talked a little  
F | Gm | Bb |  
While about the year  
Gm | Bb |  
I guess the winter makes you  
F | C  
Laugh a little Slower,  
| Gm |  
Makes you talk a little  
F | Gm  
Lower about the things you  
| Bb |  
Could not show her

## BRIDGE

Bb  
And it's been  
| F | C  
A long Decem-ber and there's reason  
| Gm | Bb |  
to believe, Maybe this year will be  
F | Gm | Bb |  
better than the last  
Gm | Bb |  
I can't remem-ber all the

F | C  
 Times I Tried to tell myself  
 | Gm | F |  
 To hold on to these moments as they  
 Gm | pause6 | F |  
 pass And it's one more day up  
 Gm \ | Gm \ |  
 in the Canyon  
 Bb \ | F \ |  
 And it's one more night in  
 Bb \ | Gm \ |  
 Hollywood  
 Bb \ | F \ | Gm \ |  
 It's been so long since I've seen the  
 | Bb \ | pause4 | pause2 F \ |  
 Ocean, I guess I should

