

Stuck in a Nursery Rhyme

(Once Upon a Time)

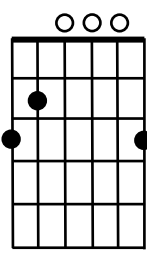
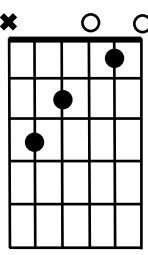
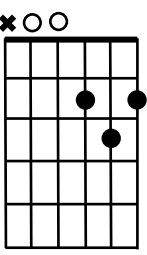
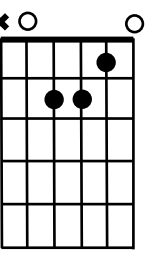
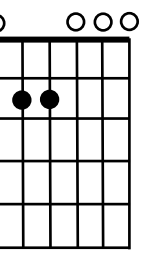
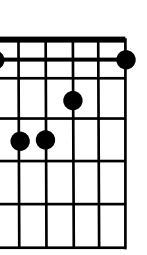
Background: Many relationships start out feeling like they are a fairy tale. Few finish that way.

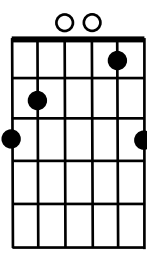
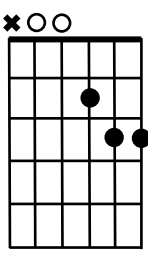
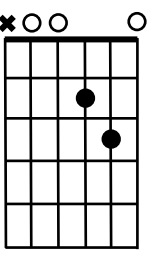
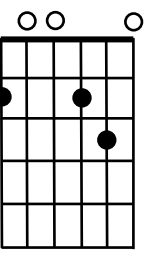
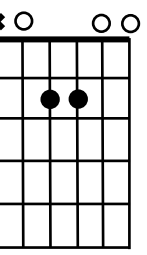
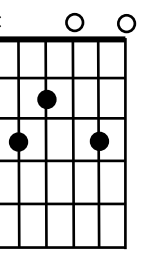
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Arr.	Key	Time	Tuning	Tempo	Style	Capo
1	G	4/4	Standard	125	Folk	2, 3 or 4

Arrangement	1
Intro	G D C G D back to G
Verse	G D C G x2
Pre-chorus	Em D C Am
Chorus	G D C G x2
Bridge	Dadd9 (transition) Am C G D F C Am D

Chords Used in this Song

G	C	D	Am	Em	F
					

Gadd11	Dsus	Dsus2	Dadd9	Asus2	Cadd9
					

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Intro

G **D**
Once upon a time
 G
Once upon a time

Verse 1

G
We started out like a fairy tale
 D
Every night was another ball
 C
Glass slippers and magic mirrors
 G
You were the fairest of them all
G
Wicked witches and evil stepmothers
 D
Couldn't curse our fantasy
C
Fairy dust made us fly
G
Poppies put us to sleep

 D
Once upon a time
 G
Once upon a time

Pre-chorus 1

Em
Whenever I fell down that hill
 D
You'd tumble after me then
C
Whenever I fell off that wall
 Am
You'd put me back together again

Chorus

G

We started out like a fairy tale

D

Once upon a time

C

So why does it now feel like

G

Were stuck in a nursery rhyme

G

I'm looking into a glass coffin

D

100 years back in time

C

With no kiss to release the curse

G

Because we're stuck in a nursery rhyme

D

Once upon a time

G

Once upon a time

Verse 2

G

All I had to do was call your name

D

And you'd let your hair down low

C

We danced inside the rhymes

G

We lived the lines of a poem

G

There were rainbows to fly over

D

We'd joy ride the yellow brick road

C

Now you're just clicking your heels

G

Looking for a ride back home

D

Once upon a time

G

Once upon a time

Pre-chorus 2

Em

Let me sprinkle some fairy dust

D

Come on let's fly away

C

You were always my lucky star

Am

I wonder where you are today

Chorus

G

We started out like a fairy tale

D

Once upon a time

C

So why does it now feel like

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Were stuck in a nursery rhyme

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I'm looking into a glass coffin

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100 years back in time

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With no kiss to release the curse

G

Because we're stuck in a nursery rhyme

D

Once upon a time

G

Once upon a time

Bridge

Am

We're through the looking glass

C

Where Queens are White and Red

G

Up is down and black is white

D

This White Knight falls on his head

F

This chess game is over

C

You were never just a pawn

Am

Our time is running backward

D

To your mirror image I am drawn

Interlude

Pre-chorus 4

Em

Golden were your locks

D

Poison apples were your treat

C

You blew down my house of straw

Am

Left me lying in the street

Chorus

G

We started out like a fairy tale

D

Once upon a time

C

So why does it now feel like

G

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G
I'm looking into a glass coffin
D
100 years back in time
C
With no kiss to release the curse
G
Because we're stuck in a nursery rhyme

D **G**
We're stuck in a nursery rhyme

Outro

G
I heard about this London bridge
D
That's falling down falling down
C
But you know my fair lady
G
You always keep me off the ground

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Intro

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Glass slippers and magic mirrors

You were the fairest of them all

Wicked witches and evil stepmothers

Couldn't curse our fantasy

Fairy dust made us fly

Poppies put us to sleep

Once upon a time

Once upon a time

Pre-chorus 1

Whenever I fell down that hill

You'd tumble after me then

Whenever I fell off that wall

You'd put me back together again

Chorus

We started out like a fairy tale

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100 years back in time

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Once upon a time

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Verse 2

All I had to do was call your name
And you'd let your hair down low
We danced inside the rhymes
We lived the lines of a poem
There were rainbows to fly over
We'd joy ride the yellow brick road
Now you're just clicking your heels
Looking for a ride back home

Once upon a time
Once upon a time

Pre-chorus 2

Let me sprinkle some fairy dust
Come on let's fly away
You were always my lucky star
I wonder where you are today

Chorus

We started out like a fairy tale
Once upon a time
So why does it now feel like
Were stuck in a nursery rhyme

I'm looking into a glass coffin
100 years back in time
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Bridge

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Interlude

Pre-chorus 4

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Chorus

We started out like a fairy tale
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We're stuck in a nursery rhyme

Outro

I heard about this London bridge
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