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[Intro]    [4x]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

[Verse 1]

Cmaj7    G  
You got a fast car.Em    D  
I want a ticket to anywhere.Cmaj7    G  
Maybe we make a deal,Em    D  
Maybe together we can get somewhere.Cmaj7    G  
Any place is better.Em    D  
Starting from zero, got nothing to lose.Cmaj7    G  
Maybe we'll make something,Em    D  
Me myself, I got nothing to prove.

[Instrumental]    [2x]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

[Verse 2]

Cmaj7    G  
You got a fast car.Em    D  
I got a plan to get us out of here:Cmaj7    G  
I been working at the convenience store,Em    D  
Managed to save just a little bit of money.Cmaj7    G  
Won't have to drive too farEm    D  
Just 'cross the border and into the city,Cmaj7    G  
You and I can both get jobsEm    D  
And finally see what it means to be living.

[Instrumental]    [2X]

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[Intro]

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Cmaj7    Dmaj7    Bbmaj7

[Verse 3]

Cmaj7    G  
You see, my old man's got a problem:Em    D  
He live with the bottle, that's the way it is.Cmaj7    G  
He says his body's too old for working,Em    D  
His body's too young to look like his.Cmaj7    G    Em    D  
My mama went off and left him, she wanted more from life than he could give,Cmaj7    G  
I said, "Somebody's got to take care of him."Em    D  
So I quit school and that's what I did.

[Instrumental]    [2x]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

[Verse 4]

Cmaj7    G  
You got a fast car.Em    D  
But is it fast enough so we can fly away?Cmaj7    G  
We gotta make a decision:Em    D  
Leave tonight or live and die this way.

[Instrumental]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

Cmaj7 – G – Em

[Chorus]

Em    C    Em\*    C  
So I remember when: we were driving, driving in your car,Em\*    C  
The speed so fast I felt like I was drunk,Em    C  
City lights lay out before usEm    C  
And your arm felt nice wrapped 'round my shoulder.C    Em    D  
And I had a feeling that I belongedC    Em    D    Em    C    Em  
And I had a feeling I could -- be someone, be someone, be someone

[Instrumental] [2X]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

[Verse 5]

Cmaj7 G

You got a fast car.

Em

D

And we go cruising to entertain ourselves;

Cmaj7 G

you still ain't got a job

Em

D

And I work in a market as a checkout girl.

Cmaj7 G

I know things will get better:

Em D

You'll find work and I'll get promoted,

Cmaj7 G

We'll move out of the shelter

Em D

Buy a bigger house and live in the suburbs.

[Instrumental]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

Cmaj7 – G – Em

[Chorus]

Em C Em\* C

So I remember when: we were driving, driving in your car,

Em\*

C

The speed so fast I felt like I was drunk,

Em C

City lights lay out before us

Em

C

And your arm felt nice wrapped 'round my shoulder.

C Em D

And I had a feeling that I belonged

C Em D

Em

C

Em

And I had a feeling I could -- be someone, be someone, be someone

[Instrumental] [2X]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

[Verse 6]

Cmaj7 G

You got a fast car.

Em

D

And I got a job that pays all our bills.

Cmaj7 G

You stay out drinking late at the bar,

Em

D

You see more your friends than you do your kids.

Cmaj7 G

I'd always hoped for better,

Em D

Thought maybe together you and me would find it,

Cmaj7 G

I got no plans I ain't going nowhere,

Em

D

so take your fast car and keep on driving.

[Instrumental]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

Cmaj7 – G – Em

[Chorus]

Em C Em\* C

So I remember when: we were driving, driving in your car,

Em\*

C

The speed so fast I felt like I was drunk,

Em C

City lights lay out before us

Em

C

And your arm felt nice wrapped 'round my shoulder.

C Em D

And I had a feeling that I belonged

C Em D

Em

C

Em

And I had a feeling I could -- be someone, be someone, be someone

[Instrumental] [2X]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

[Verse 7]

Cmaj7 G

You got a fast car.

Em

D

But is it fast enough so you can fly away?

Cmaj7 G

You gotta make a decision:

Em D

Leave tonight or live and die this way.

[Outro] [2x]

Cmaj7 – G – Em – D

Cmaj7 – G