

I CAN NEVER TAKE THE PLACE OF YOUR MAN

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INTRO C, G, F, F, x4 or A string 8, 7, 5, 3, 5, 7, 5, 3, 10-8-7-5 x4

VERSE 1

C G F F
It was only last June when her old man ran away

C G F F
She couldn't stop crying, 'cause she knew he was gone to stay

C G F F
It was ten thirty five on a lonely Friday night

C G F F
She was standing by the bar, hmm, she was looking alright

C G F F F
I asked her if she wanted to dance and she said that all she wanted was a good Man,

C G F F
And wanted to know, if I thought I was qualified

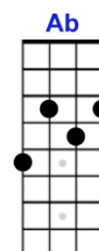
CHORUS:

F G F
And I said, baby don't waste your time

F G F
I know what's on your mind

F Ab G D
I may be qualified for a one night stand

F G
But I could never take the place of your man



Intro: C, G, F, F, x4 or A string 8, 7, 5, 3, 5, 7, 5, 3, 10-8-7-5 x2

C G F F
It hurt me so bad when she told me with tears in her eyes

C G F F
He was all she ever had and now she wanted to die

C G F F
He left her with a baby and another one on the way

C G F F
She couldn't stop cryin 'cause she knew he was gone to stay

C G F
She asked me if we could be friends, and I said oh honey baby that's a dead end

F C G F
You know and I know that we wouldn't be satisfied

CHORUS, INTRO x4, CHORUS, INTRO x 4.