

I Would Be Sad

The Avett Brothers

Capo I (recorded) or Capo II (live).

Chorus

I would be **Em** sad because you **C** left me all **G** alone (Hmmm----)
I would be **Em** sad because the **C** lies that you had **G** told (Hmmm----)
I would be **Em** sad because I **C** got left by a **D7** girl that I **G** adore
I would be **Em** sad because the **C** love I had **G** before

Verse 1

(**G**)
I meant what I said when I said I would settle down with you **Em**
C although I know it's not something that you were asking me to do **D7**
G And I know we are young but we won't always be so marry me **Em**
C Let's not be that predictable young couple change and moving on **D7**
G But I can tell by watching you that there's no chance of pushing through **Em**
C the odds are so against us you know most young love it ends like this **D7**

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Verse 2

(G) I meant what I said when I said I----- would-----
C D7 G
rearrange my plans and change for you
(G) Em
Well you know me I've always been the kind with easy confidence
C D7 G
Confident enough to honestly believe that nothing out there is stopping me
Em
Especially not someone who's not loving me
C D7
Now listen here I told you I could live on without loving you
C D7
I was bluffing then but it seems that just might have been the truth
G Em
Well my dad told me one day son this girl she'll think of what she's done
C D7
And hurting you will be the first of many more regrets to come
G Em
And he said if she doesn't call then it's her fault and it's her loss
C D7
I say it's not that simple see but then again it just may be

Chorus

Em C G
I would be sad because you left me all alone (Hmmm----)
Em C G
And I would be sad for all the lies that you had told me (Hmmm----)
Em C D7 G
And I would be sad because I got left by a girl that I adore
Em C G
I would be sad for all the love I had before
Em C G
I would be sad for all the love I had before