

# LEAVING NEW YORK

R.E.M (Album: Around The Sun)

## Intro lick

Em Gm  
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Em Eb C Bb Am7  
It's quiet now, and what it brings is everything...  
Em Eb C Bb Am7  
Comes calling back a brilliant night, I'm still awake  
Em Eb C Bb Am7  
I looked ahead I'm sure I saw you there  
Em Eb C Bb Am7  
You don't need me to tell you now, that nothing can compare

G D  
You might have laughed if I told you  
C Am  
You might have hidden a frown  
G D  
You might have succeeded in changing me  
C Am  
I might been turned around  
G D  
It's easier to leave than to be left behind  
C Am  
Leaving was never my proud  
G D  
Leaving New York never easy  
C Am  
I saw the lights fading out

Now life is sweet and what it brings I tried to take...  
The loneliness, it wears me out, it lies in wait  
And all not lost still in my eye, the shadow of necklace across your thigh  
I might have lived my life in a dream, but i swear it, this is real  
Memory fuses and shatters like glass, mercurial future, forget the past  
But it's you, it's what i feel.

You might have laughed if I told you (it's pulling me apart)  
You might have hidden a frown (change)  
You might have succeeded in changing me (it's pulling me apart)

I might been turned around (change)  
It's easier to leave than to be left behind (it's pulling me apart)  
Leaving was never my proud (change)  
Leaving New York never easy (it's pulling me apart)  
I saw the light fading out

## Like intro

Em Gm  
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Em Gm Em  
You find it in your heart, it's pulling me apart

Gm  
You find it in your heart, change...

G D  
I told you, forever, I love you, forever (you find it in your heart, it's pulling me apart)  
C Am  
I told you ,I love you, I love you, forever (you find it in your heart, change)  
G D  
I told you, forever, I love you, forever (you find it in your heart, it's pulling me apart)  
C Am  
I told you, I love you, I love you, forever (you find it in your heart, change)

You might have laughed if I told you (forever, forever,I told You, forever)  
You might have hidden a frown (change)  
You might have succeeded in changing me (it's pulling me apart)  
I might been turned around (change)  
It's easier to leave than to be left behind (it's pulling me apart)  
Leaving was never my proud (change)  
Leaving New York never easy (it's pulling me apart)  
I saw the light fading out (change)  
Leaving new york never easy (it's pulling me apart)  
I saw the light fading out (change)  
Leaving new york never easy (it's pulling me apart)  
I saw the light fading out (change)

Eb Em

## Intro

Em                      Gm

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e | -3-----3-----6-----6-----
B | --5---5---5---5---8---8---8---8---
G | ----4-----4-----7-----7---
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Or like this, if you prefer to play the song with capo on the 5th fret:

Em                                      Gm

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e | -----
B | --8-----8----- | -11-----11-----
G | ----9-----9-----9-----9--- | ----12-----12-----12-----12--
D | ----9-----9----- | ----12-----12-----
A | -----
E | -----
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