

# Killing the Blues

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**[D] [D] [D][D]**

**[D]**Leaves were falling, just like embers,  
In colours red and gold, they set us on **[G]** fire  
Burning just like a **[D]** moonbeam, in our eyes.

**[A]**Somebody said they saw me,  
**[D]**swinging the world by the **[G]** tail  
Bouncing over a **[D]**white cloud,  
**[A]** killing the **[D]**blues.

**[D]**Now I am guilty, of something...  
I hope you never do  
Because there is **[G]**nothing  
sadder than **[D]**losing yourself in love.

**[A]**Somebody said they saw me,  
**[D]**swinging the world by the **[G]**tail  
Bouncing over a **[D]**white cloud,  
**[A]** killing the **[D]**blues.

**[D] [G] [D] [A] [D] [G] [D] [A] [D]**

**[D]**Now you ask me... just to leave you  
To run out on my own  
And get what I **[G]**need to  
You want me to **[D]**find what I've already had.

**[A]**Somebody said they saw me,  
**[D]**swinging the world by the **[G]**tail  
Bouncing over a **[D]**white cloud,  
**[A]** killing the **[D]**blues.

**[A]**Somebody said they saw me,  
I was **[D]** swinging the world by**[G]** the tail  
Bouncing over a **[D]**white cloud,  
**[A]** killing the **[D]**blues.