

THINGS WE DON'T MEAN TO DO

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Intro: D | G | D | G

D D/F#
Sometimes you find a smile that's kind,
A G
Looks your way, catches your eye.
D D/F#
Good things may follow, just for a time;
A G | G
You turn around, find it's left behind.

F#m7 G A GM7
Could it be that suddenly things just changed?
F#m7 Bm9 A
Or was it all along we walked in vain?

Chorus:

D D/F# G2
There are things we don't mean to do when we lose sight of what's true,
D D/F# G2
And misunderstandings of old cloud the way we live.
D G A9 Bm
After all that we've been through, why can't we view things new,
G2 A (2nd time: C Gsus4)
Leave the past as gone and so forgive?

D D/F#
Beauty can fade so quickly these days;
A G
A bitter thought is all it takes.
D D/F#
But somewhere inside, alongside the ache,
A G | G
A smile still waits; it can awake.

F#m7 G A GM7
Do you think that suddenly things could change,
F#m7 Bm9 A
And guide our souls away from harbored pain?

(Chorus)

Instrumental Chorus in C: C | C/E | F2 | F2 | C | C/E | F2 | F2 | C | F | G9 | Am | F2 | F2 | C | C

Instrumental Verse in Bb: Bb | Bb/D | F | Eb | Bb | Bb/D | F | Eb | Dm7 | Eb | F | EbM7 | Dm7 | Gm9 | F

Chorus in Bb:

Bb Bb/D Eb
There are things we don't mean to do when remembering what's true,
Bb Bb/D Eb2
Remembering colors we thought were lost and gone.
Bb Eb F9 Gm
After all that we've been through, we know things can grow new,
Eb2 Bb
Still you, still me, and now we can move on.

Outro: Bb | Eb | Bb | Eb2