

The Way We Were

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C Em⁷ Fmaj⁷ Am Fmaj⁷ Em⁷ E⁷ Am

Mem - 'ries light the cor-ners of my mind, Mist-y wa-ter col-or mme, - 'ries

Fmaj⁷ G¹¹ Cmaj⁷ Eb¹³ Abmaj⁷ G¹³ C Em⁷ Fmaj⁷

6 of the way we were. Scat-tered pic - tures of the smiles we left be-

Am Fmaj⁷ Em⁷ E⁷ Am⁷ Amaj⁷ G¹¹ Cmaj⁷ C⁷

11 hind, smiles we gave to one an - oth - er for the way we were.

F C/E Dm⁷ Em⁷ A⁷

17 Can it be that it was all so sim-ple then, or has time re-writ-ten ev-'ry line?

Dm Bb Gaug⁷ Em

21 If we had the chane to do it all a - gain, tell me would we?

G¹³ C Em⁷ Fmaj⁷ Am Fmaj⁷ Em⁷ E⁷

24 could we? Mem - 'ries may be beau-ti-ful and yet what's so pain-ful to re -

Am Fmaj⁷ E⁷ Am Fmaj⁷ Em⁷ Fmaj⁷ Em⁷

29 mem - ber We sim-ply choose to for - get So it's the laugh - ter we will re-mem - ber

Fmaj⁷ Em⁷ Fmaj⁷ G¹¹ C Gm A⁷ Fm Em Fmaj⁷ C

36 When-ev-er we re-mem - ber the way we were the way we were