

PAULA AND KARL'S ROAD TRIP

6) Dear Charlie

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C G C Am G

Fl. *Flute counter-melody*

Paula: Sung

C Am G(sus4) G

I held you through the night when the dark-ness crept a round

C Am G(sus4) G

And lulled you gen - tly through when you looked but all you found Was a

F G F G(sus4) G

hole where a mom and a dad should be our fa-mi-ly so - li - da - ri - ty But the

F G Dm7 G(sus4) G

best I e - ver of - fered you was a man with nar - col - lep - sy

C Am G(sus4) G

Does this come na - tural-ly to wo-men with a preg - nan - cy?

C Am G

Is mo - ther - hood some-thing that comes with fem - i - ni - ni - ty? Well

F G F G

I don't know but I sure tried hard with a white pick-et fence and a gras-sy yard and a

F G F (ppp)

man and a ba - by son Be-cause Char-lie my dear you'll

al - ways be my on - ly one So

Char - - lie my ba - by I'm so

so - - ry for all I'm put you through Oh

Mom - my is so sor - ry for all she's done to you

And I know mo - ther - hood was - n't my strong suit

And I did - n't e - ven think that I had to child proof for your

cur - i - ous mind and your ti - ny fin - gers the me - mo - ry of your smile still lin - gers

Through my mind when I look for the child I knew cus Char - lie I real - ly tried I

tried to do good for you so

Chords: G, C, Am, F, Dm7, G7, C, Am, F, G, C, Am, G(sus4), G, C, Am, G(sus4), G, F, G7, F, G7, F, G, G7(sus4), A(sus4), A

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f Char - lie my ba - by___ I'm so sor - ry___ for

D Bm G

all I've put you through___ Oh Mom - my is so___ sor - ry___ for

Em7 A7 D Bm

all she's done___ to you so *tenderly* **p** Char - lie my ba - by___ I'm so

G A D Bm

so - ry___ for all I've put you through___ Oh Mom - my is so

G Em7 A7 D

sor - ry___ for all she's done to you

Slower **molto rit.**

Bm G A D A D