**Wild World**  
**Cat Stevens**  
(1970)

**Intro:**
Am D7 G C F Dm E E

**Verse 1**
Am D7 G
Now that I've lost everything to you,
C F Dm
You say you want to start something new, and it's breaking my heart,
E E
You're leaving, baby, I'm grieving,
Am D7 G
But if you want to leave, take good care,
C F Dm
Hope you have a lot of nice things to wear, but then a lot of nice things
turn bad out there..

**Chorus**
C G F
Oh, baby, baby, it's a wild world,

G F C
It's hard to get by just upon a smile,

C G F
Oh, baby, baby it's a wild world,
Verse 2
Am                      D7                       G
You know I've seen a lot of what the world can do,
C               F             Dm
And it's breaking my heart in two, 'cause I never want to see you
E 'cause I never want to see you
sad girl,
Am                      D7              G
Don't be a bad girl,    But if you want to leave, take good care ,
C                       F
Hope you make a lot of nice friends out there,
Dm
But re-member there's a lot of bad,

E G F/G G/E G/D
and be-ware, be-ware---
E |---3------------------3--|---3------------------3--|
B |---0-----------------0---|---0-----------------0---|
G |---0-----------------0---|---0-----------------0---|
D |---0-----------------3---|---2-----------------0---|
A |---2---------------------|------
E |---3---------------------|------

Chorus
Verse 4
Am D7 G
La-la, la-la, la, la, la-la-la-
C
F
La-la, la-la, la-la, la-la-
Dm
La, la-la, la, la, la, la-la-
Verse 5
E Am                      D7                       G
Baby, I love you,    but if you want to leave, take good care,
C                 F
Hope you make a lot of nice friends out there,
Dm
But just re-member there's a lot of bad,

E G F/G G/E G/D
and be-ware, ..be-ware..
E |---3------------------3--|---3------------------3--|
B |---0-----------------0---|---0-----------------0---|
G |---0-----------------0---|---0-----------------0---|
D |---0-----------------3---|---2-----------------0---|
A |---2---------------------|------
E |---3---------------------|------
Chorus

C      G                  F
Oh, baby  baby, it's a wild world,

G      F                  C
It's hard to get by just upon a smile,

C      G                  F
Oo, baby, baby, it's a wild world,

G      F                  C
I'll always re-member you just like a child, girl!