

Leaving On a Jet Plane

(written & performed by John Denver) 1966

4/4 swing

C7 **F** **Bb** **F** **Bb**
All my bags are packed I'm ready to go I'm standing here out-side your door,
F **Dm** **C** **C7**
I hate to wake you up to say good-bye.

F **Bb** **F** **Bb**
But the dawn is breaking it's early morn' The taxi's waiting, he's blowing his horn
F **Dm** **C** **C7**
Already I'm so lonesome I could cry.

Chorus: **F** **Bb** **F** **Bb**
So kiss me and smile for me, Tell me that you'll wait for me
F **Gm** **C** **C7**
Hold me like you'll never let me go.
F **Bb** **F** **Bb**
Cuz I'm leaving on a jet plane, Don't know when I'll be back again
F **Dm** **C7**
Oh babe I hate to go.

F **Bb** **F** **Bb**
There's so many times I've let you down, So many times I've played around.
F **Dm** **C** **C7**
I tell you now that they don't mean a thing.

F **Bb** **F** **Bb**
Every place I'll go I'll think of you Every song I'll sing, I'll sing for you.
F **Dm** **C** **C7**
When I come back I'll bring your wedding ring.

Chorus

F **Bb** **F** **Bb**
Now the time has come to leave you. One more time, let me kiss you.
F **Dm** **C** **C7**
Then close your eyes and I'll be on my way.
F **Bb** **F** **Bb**
You can dream about the days to come, When I won't have to leave alone,
F **Dm** **C** **C7**
About the times when I won't have to say...

Chorus

