

## A LONG DECEMBER

**F Bb Gm Bb F Bb Gmx2**

**Bb F C Gm**

A long December and there's reason to believe

**Bb F Bb**

Maybe this year will be better than the last

**Gm Bb F C**

I can't remember the last thing that you said

**Gm F Bb**

as you were leavin' Now the days go by so fast.

**F Bb Gm**

And it's one more day up in the canyons

**F Bb Gm**

And it's one more night in Hollywood

**F Bb Gm**

If you think that I could be forgiven...I wish you would

**F Bb Gm Bb F Bb Gm**

nananananananana.. yeah

**Bb F C**

The smell of hospitals in winter

**Gm Bb F Bb**

And the feeling that it's all a lot of oysters, but no pearls

**Gm Bb F C**

All at once you look across a crowded room

**Gm F Bb**

To see the way that light attaches to a girl

**[Chorus with]** "If you think you might come to California...I think you should" then

**[Solo over F Bb Gm Bb F Bb Gm]**

Drove up to the Hillside Manor sometime after two a.m.

And talked a little while about the year

I guess the winter makes you laugh a little slower

Makes you talk a little lower about the things you could not show her.

And it's been a long December and there's reason to believe

Maybe this year will be better than the last

I can't remember all the times I tried to tell myself

To hold on to these moments as they pass

**[Chorus with]** It's been so long since I've seen the ocean...I guess I should

nananananananana.... yeah **x4 [Gm to end]**