

All [chords] = 2 beats

1..2 1234



.....[D] `tend I'm gay, **D/ I G/** never [D] feel that way [D] I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine **A7**↓.....

Prologue (semi-spoken)

D↓ This life's a **A7**↓ play from the start, **D**↓ it's hard to **G**↓ play through a part

D↓ When there's an **A7**↓ ache in your heart all **D**↓ day **A7**↓ **D**↓

I have my **A7**↓ dreams till the dawn, **D**↓

I wake to **Ddim7**↓ find they are gone

F#m↓ But still the **Ddim7**↓ play must go on they **A7**↓ say

[N/C] When I pre-[D]-tend I'm gay, **D/ I G/** never [D] feel that way [D]

I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [A7]

When I hold [D] back a tear **D/ to G/** make a [D] smile ap-[D]-pear

I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [D7]

Painting the [G] blues, beautiful [Gm6] hues,

Coloured with [D] gold and old [D] rose, playing the [Bm7] clown

Trying to [Ddim7] drown all of my [A7] woes **A7**↓

[N/C] Though things may [D] not look bright,

D/ they'll **G/** all turn [D] out alright [D]

If I keep [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [A7]

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I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [A7]

When I hold [D] back a tear **D/ to G/** make a [D] smile ap-[D]-pear

I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [D7]

Painting the [G] blues, colourful [Gm6] hues

Coloured with [D] gold and old [D] rose, playing the [Bm7] clown

Trying to [Ddim7] drown all of my [A7] woes **A7**↓

[N/C] When I hold [D] back a tear, **D/ to G/** make a [D] smile ap-[D]-pear

I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [A7]

Though things may [D] not look bright, **D/** they'll **G/** all turn [D] out alright [D]

If I keep [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [D]

I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine [D]

I'm only [A7] painting the [A7] clouds with [D] sunshine **D**↓ **A7**↓ **D**↓