**Candle In The Wind (Elton John / Bernie Taupin) Key C**

**C**

Goodbye Norma Jean

C

 **F**

Though I never knew you at all

 **C**

You had the grace to hold yourself

 **F**

While those around you crawled

F

 **C**

They crawled out of the woodwork

 **F**

And they whispered into your brain

 **C**

They set you on the treadmill

 **F**

G

And they made you change your name

**Chorus:**

 **G G7**

And it seems to me you lived your life

 **C F**

G7

Like a candle in the wind

 **C F**

Never knowing who to cling to

 **G**

When the rain set in

 **F**

And I would have liked to have known you

Am

 **Am**

But I was just a kid

 **G**

Your candle burned out long before

 **F**

Your legend ever did

**F//// C / F/ C// G7**

**BARITONE**

F

C

G

Am

G7

**C**

Loneliness was tough

 **F**

The toughest role you ever played

 **C**

Hollywood created a superstar

 **F**

And pain was the price you paid

 **C**

Even when you died

 **F**

Oh the press still hounded you

 **C**

All the papers had to say

 **F**

Was that Marilyn was found in the nude

**(Chorus) F//// C / F/ C// G7**

**C**

Goodbye Norma Jean

 **F**

Though I never knew you at all

 **C**

You had the grace to hold yourself

 **F**

While those around you crawled

**C**

Goodbye Norma Jean

 **F**

From the young man in the 22nd row

Who sees you as something more than

**C**

sexual

 **F**

More than just our Marilyn Monroe

**(Chorus) F//// C / Gm/ C/**

 **G**

Your candle burned out long before

 **F F//// C / F/ C/**

Your legend ever did

**Candle In The Wind (Elton John / Bernie Taupin) Key G**

**G**

Goodbye Norma Jean

G

 **C**

Though I never knew you at all

 **G**

You had the grace to hold yourself

 **C**

While those around you crawled

 **G**

C

They crawled out of the woodwork

 **C**

And they whispered into your brain

 **G**

They set you on the treadmill

 **C**

D

And they made you change your name

**Chorus:**

 **D D7**

And it seems to me you lived your life

 **G C**

Like a candle in the wind

 **G C**

Never knowing who to cling to

 **D**

When the rain set in

 **C**

And I would have liked to have known you

 **Em**

But I was just a kid

 **D**

Your candle burned out long before

 **C**

Your legend ever did

**C//// G / C/ G// D7**

**BARITONE**

D7

D

C

G

Em

**G**

Loneliness was tough

 **C**

The toughest role you ever played

 **G**

Hollywood created a superstar

 **C**

And pain was the price you paid

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Was that Marilyn was found in the nude

**(Chorus) C//// G / C/ G// D7**

**G**

Goodbye Norma Jean

 **C**

Though I never knew you at all

 **G**

You had the grace to hold yourself

 **C**

While those around you crawled

**G**

Goodbye Norma Jean

 **C**

From the young man in the 22nd row

Who sees you as something more than

**G**

sexual

 **C**

More than just our Marilyn Monroe

**(Chorus) C//// G / C/ G/**

 **D**

Your candle burned out long before

 **C C//// G / C/ G/**

Your legend ever did