

# A Gentleman's Excuse Me

Bbsus2 F/A Csus4/G F Bbsus2  
Do you still keep paper flowers in the bottom drawer with your Belgian lace

F/A Dsus4 Dm  
Taking them out every year to watch the colors fade away?

Bbsus2 F/A Eb/G Eb  
Do you still believe in fairy tales, in battlements of shining castles

Dm C/D Dm  
Safe from the dragons that lie beneath the hill?

Bbsus2 F/A Csus4/G F  
Are you still a Russian princess rescued by a gypsy dancer

Bbsus2 F/A Dsus4 Dm  
To anyone who'll listen is that a story you still tell?

Bbsus2 F/A Eb/G Eb  
You live a life of fantasy, your diary romantic fiction

Bb C/Bb Bb C C7  
Can't you see it's hard for me, can you see what I am trying to say?

F Am  
It's a gentleman's excuse me so I'll take one step to the side

Bb F  
Can you get it inside your head I'm tired of dancing?

C/E Dm /C Bb  
For every one step forward we're taking two steps back

Bb F/A Csus4/G C  
Can you get it inside your head I'm tired of dancing?

Bb/C C  
I know you still like old fashioned waltzes

Bb/C C  
Your reflection in the mirror that you flirt with as you glide across the floor

Bb/D C/D  
But if I told you the music's over would you want to hear

Bb/D C/D  
That your dance card is empty that there's no-one really there?

Bbsus2 F/A Csus4/G  
Do you still believe in Santa Claus, that there's a millionaire

F Bbsus2 F/A Dsus4 Dm  
Looking for your front door with a key to a life that you'd never understand?

Bbsus2 F/A Eb/G Eb  
All I have to offer is the love that I have, it's freely given

Bb C/Bb Bb C C7  
You'll see its value when you see what I've tried to say

F Am  
It's a gentleman's excuse me so I'll take one step to the side

Bb F  
Can you get it inside your head I'm tired of dancing?

C/E Dm Bb  
For every one step forward I'm taking two steps back

Bb F/A Csus4/G C Dm  
Can you get it inside your head that from this one step forward

Bb  
There's no turning back?

Bb F/A Csus4/G C Dsus4 Dm Dsus4 Dm  
Can you get it inside your head I'm tired of dancing?

Dsus4 Dm Dsus4 Dm  
We're finished dancing