

# OLD DESIRES

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Key Am

Time sig 4/4 (as 12/8)

Tempo approx 85 bpm



## INTRO

1				E7
2	Am	F	Dm	E >> E7
6	Am	F	G	Am

Am >>> Amaj7  
In the

## VERSE 1

11	Am	F	Dm	E >>> E7
	quietness of an	evening, When the	fury's all but	gone, The
15	Am	F	G	Am
	louder echoes	fade away, but	playful memories whisper	on As
19	F	G	F	E >> Am
	long gone loves and	passions, Like	old extinguished	fires,
23	E	Am	E	Am >> E7
	Stir within their	embers To	teasing shapes of old de-	sires

## INSTRUMENTAL

27	Am	F	Dm	E >>> E7
31	Am	F	G	Am
35	F	G	F	E >> Am
39	E	Am	E	Am >> E7

In the

## VERSE 2 (as Verse 1)

43	Am	F	Dm	E >>> E7
	stillness of your	memories etc		

V

55	E	Am	E	Am >> E7
	(To) old de-	sires	still smiling	now

## CODA

59	E	Am >> E7	E	Am >> E7
63	E	Am	Am	Am

v1 In the quietness of an evening  
When the fury's all but gone,  
The louder echoes fade away,  
But playful memories whisper on,  
As long gone loves and passions,  
Like old extinguished fires,  
Stir within their embers  
To teasing shapes of old desires;

v2 In the stillness of your memories,  
Where a sadness used to lie,  
A quieter mood uncovers  
A sense of calm, of life passed by,  
And furrows of old failings  
That used to line your brow,  
Have weathered with a lifetime  
To old desires still smiling now.