

F/B $\flat$  C7sus 1. F D.S.  $\text{‰}$

who'll take me as I am.

2. F D.S.S.  $\text{‰}$  3. Dm F7

am. am. Oh yeah, from some-one with a

B $\flat$ (2)

strong heart, a gen - tle hand, who'll

F/B $\flat$  C7sus F

take me as I am.

Verse 2:  
 Baby, I need for you to know  
 Just exactly how I feel.  
 Fiery passions come and go.  
 I'd trade a million pretty words  
 For one touch that is real.  
 (To Chorus:)

Gm7                      Bb(2)                      C7

not just prom - is - es and emp - ty fan - ta - sies. I don't  
 ...end solo)

Chorus:  
 F                      Bb                      F/Bb                      Dm7                      C

need a bed of ros es, 'cause

F                      Bb                      Dm                      C

ros es with er a way. All I

F                      Bb                      Dm7                      C

real ly need is hon es ty

Bb(2)

from some-one with a strong heart, a gen - tle hand,

# TAKE ME AS I AM

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Two beat  $\text{♩} = 76$



*mf*



Verse:



1. Ba - by, don't turn out the light.



I wan-na see you look at me.

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Whis - per on - ly truth to - night,  
(Instrumental solo 3rd time...)