

# Narcolepsy

Words and Music by Ben Folds

i should warn you  
i go to sleep  
i know you don't  
know what i mean  
yet  
i get upset or happy  
i go to sleep  
nothing hurts when  
i go to sleep  
but i'm not tired  
i'm not tired

i know it seems that i don't care  
but something in me does i swear  
i don't remember all last year  
i left you awake to cry the tears  
while i was dreaming in streams  
flowing between the shores  
of joy and sadness  
i'm drowning  
save me  
wake me up

i should warn you  
i go to sleep  
you won't know when i go to sleep  
because i'm not tired  
i'm not tired  
i just sleep

C

Intro.-I

The musical score for the Intro of 'Narcolepsy' is written for a 6/8 time signature. It features a piano introduction with a treble clef and a bass clef. The piano part consists of a melody in the treble clef and a bass line in the bass clef. The bass line is marked with a circled '1' and an arrow, indicating a first ending. The score includes staves for Voice (Vo.), Piano (Pf-I and Pf-II), Clavinet (Kb-I), Strings (Kb-II), Bass (Ba.), and Drums (Dr.). The piano part is the only one with notes, showing a simple harmonic progression.

C G

Intro.-II

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

1

2

8va

10 12 12 10 12 12 10 12 12 10 12 12 10 12 12

3

G C

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

(Pf-II)

(Pf-III)

2

4

8va

10 12 12 10 12 12 10 12 12 10 12 12 10 12 12

3

5

C

Intro.-III

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

6

5

7

C

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

3

**C**

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

**G**

**Intro.-IV**

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

G C

Vo.

Pf. (Pf-I) (Pf-II) (Pf-III)

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

4

8

A C

Vo. (1, 2x) i should warn you i go to

Pf. (Pf-I) (Pf-II)

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba. 2x

Dr. 2x

C

Vo. sleep (1x) i know you don't  
(2x) you won't know when

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

C to G B G

Vo. know what i mean yet  
i go to

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

G

Vo. *i get up*

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

C C

Vo. *set or hap - py i go to*

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

C

Vo. sleep noth ing hurts

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

C

Vo. when i go to sleep but i'm

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.



Chords: C, D, G

Vo. not tired i'm not

(Pf-I)

(Pf-II)

Kb.-I 2x

Ba.

Dr.

1. G 2. G E C7

Vo. i'm not (Unison Chorus)

(Pf-I)

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

Vo. F7 C7 F7

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

Vo. F7 14 F A<sup>b</sup>dim Am7

i know it seems that i don't care but

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

G7(onB) C A<sup>o</sup>dim  
 Vo. some thing (in) me does i swear i don't re -  
 Pf.  
 Kb.-I  
 Kb.-II  
 Ba.  
 Dr.

A<sup>o</sup>dim Am7 G7(onB)  
 Vo. -mem ber all last year i left you awake to  
 Pf.  
 Kb.-I  
 Kb.-II  
 Ba.  
 Dr.

Vo. Am7(onG)  
 C 14 G A<sup>b</sup>dim (Chorus)  
 cry the tears while i was dream ing in streams flow  
 (dream ing in streams flow)

Pf  
 Kb.-I  
 Kb.-II  
 Ba.  
 Dr.

Vo. Am7(onG) F#m7(b5) FΔ7  
 - ing be ah tween the shores of joy and sad ness i'm

Pf  
 Kb.-I  
 Kb.-II  
 Ba.  
 Dr.

**H** **G** (Unison Chorus) **G**(onB) **C**

Vo. drown (drown) ing ing save save me wake me me up up

Pf. (Pf-II) (Pf-II) (Pf-II) 8va bassa

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

**C**

Vo.

Pf.

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

♩ Coda

C

Vo. *C* *d.*

Pf *(8va bassa)*

Kb.-I

Kb.-II *12*

Ba.

Dr.

D.S.

Vo. sleep because i'm

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

Vo. *C* *I* *G* (4times Repeat) *4x*

not tired i'm not tired

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

(Gong) *4x* *3x*

Vo. G

i'm not tired i'm not tired

(Pf-I)

(Pf-II)

Kb.-I <sup>4x</sup>

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

3x

Vo. G

i'm not tired i'm not tired

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

G

Vo. i'm not tired i'm not tired

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

G

Vo. i'm not tired i'm not tired i just sleep

Pf

Kb.-I

Kb.-II

Ba.

Dr.

*rit.*