

Shadowboxer - Fiona Apple // 1996 // key: verse, prechorus: D Dorian, chorus: C

Intro: | **Dm-Dm⁷** | **G⁷-G-G⁷** | **Dm-Dm⁷** | **G⁷-G-G⁷** |

1. **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷ G- G⁷**
 Once my lover, now my friend What a cruel thing to pretend
Dm- Am **G** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷**
 What a cunning way to condescend Once my lover, and now my friend

2. **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷**
 Oh, you creep up like the clouds And you set my soul at ease
Dm- Am **G** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷**
 Then you let your love abound And you bring me to my knees

Prechorus: **Em- Dm Am** **Em-** **Dm** **Am**
 Oh, it's evil babe The way you let your grace enrapture me
Em- **Dm** **Am** **Em-** **Dm F-** **Em** **D⁷** **D⁷**
 When well you know I'd be insane To ever let that dirty game recapture me

Chorus: **C-** **F** **Em-** **B^b** **C-** **F** **Em- B^b**
 You made me a shadowboxer, baby I wanna be ready for what you do
C- F **Em-** **B^b** **C-** **F** **Em- B^b**
 Well I've been swinging around me 'cause I don't know when you're gonna make your move

Interlude: | **Dm-Dm⁷** | **G⁷-G-G⁷** | **Dm-Dm⁷** | **G⁷-G-G⁷** |

3. **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷**
 Oh, your gaze is dangerous And you fill your space so sweet
Dm- Am **G** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷**
 If I let you get too close You'll set your spell on me

4. **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷** **G- G⁷**
 So darlin' I just wanna say Just in case I don't come through
Dm- Am **G** **Dm- Dm⁷** **G⁷- G- G⁷**
 I was onto every play I just wanted you

Prechorus: **Em- Dm** **Am** **Em-** **Dm** **Am**
 Oh, it's so evil my love The way you've no reverence to my concern
Em- **Dm** **Am** **Em-** **Dm** **F-** **Em** **D⁷** **D⁷**
 So I'll be sure to stay wary of you, love To save the pain of once my flame and twice my burn

Chorus: **C-** **F** **Em-** **B^b** **C-** **F** **Em- B^b**
 So I'm a shadowboxer, baby I wanna be ready for what you do
C- F **Em-** **B^b** **C-** **F** **Em- B^b**
 And I've been swinging around at nothing I don't know when you're gonna make your move

Chorus: **C-** **F** **Em-** **B^b** **C-** **F** **Em- B^b**
 Yeah I'm a shadowboxer, baby I wanna be ready for what you do
C- F **Em-** **B^b** **C-** **F** **Em- B^b**
 And I've been swinging around me 'cause I don't know when you'll make your move

Outro: [solo, repeat until fade out] | **C-F** | **Em-B^b** | **C-F** | **Em-B^b** |