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VERSE 1 [C] I want to be your lover, But your friend is all I'll [G7] stay. I'm only [C] halfway to [F] paradise. So [C] near, yet [G] so far, a-[C] way.

VERSE 2

[C] I long for your lips to kiss my lips,
But just when I think they [G7] may,
You lead me [C] halfway to [F] paradise,
So [C] near, yet [G] so far, a-[C] way.

CHORUS: [G] Being close to you is almost [C] heaven. But [G] seeing you can do just so [C] much. It [G] hurts me so to know your heart's a [C] treasure.. And that [Am] my heart is [D] forbidden to [G7] tou...ch, so...

VERSE 3 Put [C] your sweet lips close to my lips, And tell me that's where they're gonna [G7] stay. Don't lead me [C] halfway to [F] paradise, Oh, so [C] near, yet [G] so far a-[C] way.

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