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Ue o Muite Arukou (I Look Up as I Walk) (Revised 08/30/2022)

Verse 1:

C            Am            C            Am  
It's all because of you-- I'm feeling sad and blue--  
C            Am            F            G7  
You went away-- now my life is just a rainy day—  
C            Dm                            E7  
I love you so-- how much you'll never know—  
C            G7                            C    Am ////  
You've gone—a-way and left me lonely.

Verse 2:

C            Am            C            Am  
Untouchable memories— seem to keep haunting me—  
C            Am            F            G7  
Oh love so true- that once turned all my gray skies blue—  
C            Dm                            E7  
But you've disappeared--now my eyes are filled with tears—  
C            G7                            C    C7////  
I'm wish--ing you were here with me.

Bridge:

F                            C            C7  
Soft-- with love are my thoughts of you  
F                            Fm                            Em            G7////  
Now that you've gone—I just don't know what to do.

Verse 3:

C            Am            C            Am  
If only you were here-- you'd wash away my tears—  
C            Am            F            G7  
The sun would shine once again you'd be mine, all mine—  
C            Dm                            E7  
But in reality-- you and I will never be—  
C                            G7                            C    (C7//// 1st time only)  
'Cause you took your love away from me.

Repeat: Bridge and Verse 3

C                            G7                            C //// C //// C / Arpeggio  
Ending—Repeat 'Cause you took your love away from me.

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