

Try to Remember  
Words & Music by Tom Jones & Harvey Schmidt  
Recorded by Ed Ames, 1965  
From the Musical "The Fantasticks"

D Bm Em A7  
Try to remember the kind of September

D Bm Em A7  
When life was slow and oh, so mellow;

D Bm Em A7  
Try to remember the kind of September

D Bm Em A7  
When grass was green and grain was yellow;

F#m7 Bm7 Em7 A7  
Try to remember the kind of September

DM7 GM7 C A7  
When you were a tender and callow fellow.

D Bm Em A7 D Bm GM7 A7  
Try to remember, and if you remember, then follow.

D Bm Em A7  
Try to remember when life was so tender,

D Bm Em A7  
That no one wept except the willow;

D Bm Em A7  
Try to remember when life was so tender,

D Bm Em A7  
That dreams were kept beside your pillow;

F#m7 Bm7 Em7 A7  
Try to remember when life was so tender,

DM7 GM7 C A7  
That love was an ember about to billow.

D Bm Em A7 D Bm GM7 A7  
Try to remember, and if you remember, then follow.

D Bm Em A7  
Deep in December, it's nice to remember,

D Bm Em A7  
Although you know the snow will follow;

D Bm Em A7  
Deep in December, it's nice to remember,

D Bm Em A7  
Without a hurt the heart is hollow;

F#m7 Bm7 Em7 A7  
Deep in December, it's nice to remember,

DM7 GM7 C A7  
The fire of September that makes us mellow.

D Bm Em A7 D Bm GM7 Gdim D  
Try to remember, and if you remember, then follow.