

# *It Might As Well Be Spring*

Lyrics by: Oscar Hammerstein II (O. Greeley Clendenning H. II)

Music by: Richard Rodgers

From the Film: State Fair 1945 (M)

**D** **F#m** **D**  
I'm as restless as a willow in a windstorm,  
**F#m** **Am7** **D7**  
I'm as jumpy as puppet on a string  
**G** **Gdim** **D** **Em** **A7** **Dmaj7** **D6**  
I'd say that I had spring fever, but I know it isn't spring

**D** **F#m** **D**  
I am starry eyed and vaguely discontented,  
**F#m** **Am7** **D7**  
like a nightingale without a song to sing  
**G** **Gdim** **D** **Em** **A7** **D**  
O why should I have spring fever, when it isn't even spring

**G** **Am7**  
I keep wishing I were somewhere else,  
**Adim** **D7** **G**  
Walking down a strange new street  
**C#m7** **F#7**  
Hearing words that I have never heard  
**Bm** **E7** **A** **A7**  
from a man I've yet to meet

**D** **F#m** **D**  
I'm as busy as spider spinning daydreams,  
**F#m** **Am7** **D7**  
I'm as giddy as a baby on a swing  
**G** **Gdim** **D** **Em** **A9** **F#** **F#7**  
I haven't seen a crocus or a rosebud, or a robin on the wing

## It Might as Well be Spring (Continued)

          E7                          A9                  A7  
But I feel so gay in a melancholy way,  
          D7                          E7 Edim  
that it might as well be spring  
      D      Bm7 Em7   A7 D  
It might as well be spring