

**"It's Not Easy Bein' Green" (lyrics by Joe Raposo)**



**Key of C**

**C** **Em** **Bbdim** **A7**  
 It's not that easy bein' green; having to spend each day the color of the leaves.

**F**  
 When I think it could be nicer being red, or yellow or gold-  
**G** **C** **G**  
 or something much more colorful like that.

**C** **Em** **Bbdim** **A7**  
 It's not easy bein' green. It seems you blend in with so many other ordinary things.

**F**  
 And people tend to pass you over 'cause you're not standing out like flashy sparkles  
**G** **C** **C7** **F** **Fm**  
 in the water- or stars in the sky. But green's the color of Spring.

**C** **C7** **F**  
 And green can be cool and friendly-like and green can be big like an ocean, or  
**Fm** **G**  
 important like a mountain, or tall like a tree.

**C** **Em** **Bbdim** **A7**  
 When green is all there is to be It could make you wonder why, but why wonder  
**F** **G**  
 why? Wonder, I am green and it'll do fine, it's beautiful!

**C** **F** **C**  
 And I think it's what I want to be.

