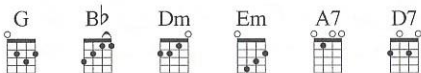


# BUILD ME UP, BUTTERCUP

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First note



## Chorus

Moderately fast  $\text{♩} = \text{♩}$

Why do you build me up, But - ter-cup, ba - by, just to  
 let me down and mess me a - round? And then, worst -  
 of all, you nev - er call, ba - by, when you  
 say you will, but I love you still. I need you -  
 more than an - y - one, dar - ling. You  
 know that I have from the start. So build me up, But -  
 ter - cup, don't break my heart.

To Coda  $\text{C}$   $\text{G}$

1. I'll be  
 2. To

## Verse

o - ver at ten, you tell me time and a - gain, but you're late. -  
 you I'm a toy, but I could be the boy you a - dore, -  
 I wait a - round and then I  
 if you just let me know. And  
 run to the door, I can't take an - y - more. It's not you; -  
 though you're un - true, I'm at - tract - ed to you all the more. -  
 you let me down a - gain. }  
 Why do I need you so? }

## Pre-Chorus

Ba-by, ba-by, try to find a lit - tle time and  
 I'll make you hap - py. I'll be home, I'll be be -  
 side the phone, wait - ing for you.

2nd time, D.S. al Coda

Ooh, ooh. Why do you

## Coda

Don't break my heart. -