

I'M NOT DOING IT FOR YOU

i am a man, a father and a son (G, Dm, C, F, C)
i play my part, often overdone (G, Dm, C, F)
i say i love, but my heart remains afraid (G, Dm, C, F, C)
what you see, in parts a masquerade (G, Dm, C, F...C)

i call at night, we talk about the game (G, Dm, C, F, C)
our polar winds, over time we overcame (G, Dm, C, F)
i say i love, conventions we applaud (G, Dm, C, F, C)
but there remains a chill, and i feel like a fraud (G, Dm, C, F, C, D)

when i love (F, C)
i do it for me (G)
its my narrative
an absentee
i keep score
it's not my intent
a good son
faux penitent (Em, C....G)

we walk together, arm and arm we laugh
i guide your gate, my eyes on your behalf
i say i love, shame compels me so
for t'would be better, to softly let you go