

Occasional Man

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1. C G C <F> C7
I must admit to a couple of things
F G C Am
I've had a man or three, a couple wedding rings
F G C Am
I've had the romance, I've had the trip to Rome
D7 Gsus4 G Gsus4 G
But I must declare I've had my share of sharing my home

2. Lately I'm loving just living alone
No race for the bathroom, no waiting for the phone
Just my clothes in the closet, my stuff on the shelf
There's barely one thing that I can't do by myself

Chorus 1 F G C <F> C
I want an occasional man
F G C Am
Just one who will see me, when I say he can
F G C Am
Thanksgiving, New Years Eve, and summer vacations
F G C Am
One man who's showing up only for special occasions
F <F#> G C G C
An occasional man, an occasional man

3. Go out for birthdays? Well maybe just mine
Stay home in February, trade valentines
My place in the country, his place in town
That'd be enough for me to call it sleeping around

Chorus 2 I want an occasional man
Just one who'll see me, when I say he can
Fourth of July and on a trip to distant nations
One man who's showing up for all exceptional occasions
An occasional man, an occasional man

Bridge F Em Dm Am
Would I marry again? Don't guess I'll ever be ready
D7 Gsus4 G
Me, I'm thinking maybe I might wanna go steady

Male Chorus I could be your occasional man
Only come calling when you say I can
Help change the oil or with cookies that you're makin'
As long as you're not asking me to bring home the bacon
Yes, occasionally I can be an occasional man

Chorus 3 I want that occasional man
That one who'll see me, when I say he can
Halloween, Labor Day, and all graduations
One man who's showing up for all my family occasions
F <F#> G Am D7
An occasional man, an occasional man

F G E Am
Coda That's who I'll be choosing, if only I can
F <F#> G C F w/d C
An occasional man, an occasional man