

# I Started a Joke by Bee Gees (Capo 7<sup>th</sup>)

**[Intro]** C Em F G x2

## **[Verse 1]**

C Em F G C Em  
I started a joke... Which started the whole world crying.

F G C Em F G C Em F G  
But I didn't see... That the joke was on me... oh no...

## **[Verse 2]**

C Em F G C Em  
I started to cry... Which started the whole world laughing.

F G C Em F G C\*  
Oh, if I'd only seen... That the joke was on me.

## **[Chorus]**

Am\* Em\* F\* C\*  
I-I-I... looked at the skies... Running my hands... over my eyes.

Em\* Am\* Dm7\* G\*  
And I fell out of bed... hurting my head... from things that I'd said.

### [Verse 3]

**C** **Em** **F** **G** **C** **Em**  
'Til I finally died... Which started the whole world living.  
**F** **G** **C** **Em** **F** **G** **C\***  
Oh, if I'd only seen... That the joke was on me.

### [Chorus]

**Am\*** **Em\*** **F\*** **C\***  
I-I-I... looked at the skies... Running my hands... over my eyes.  
**Em\*** **Am\*** **Dm7\*** **G\***  
And I fell out of bed... hurting my head... from things that I'd said.

### [Verse 4]

**C** **Em** **F** **G** **C** **Em**  
'Til I finally died... Which started the whole world living.  
**F** **G** **C** **Em** **F** **G** **C** **Em** **F**  
Oh, if I'd only seen... That the joke was on me.

### [Coda]

**G** **C** **Em** **F**  
That the joke was on me... oh yeah...  
**G** **C** **Em** **F** **G** **C** {let fade}  
That the joke was on me... hmm hmm...