I Can't Get Started with You music by Vernon Duke and

lyrics by Ira Gerschwin (1936)

I'm a glum one
It's explainable
I've met someone
unattainable
Life's a bore
The world is my oyster no more

All the papers
Where I lead the news
With my capers
Now will spread the news
Superman turned out to be
A flash-in-the-pan

        Gma7   *Em7*   *Am7*
I've flown around the world in a plane
D7   *B7*   *Em7*   *A7+6*
I've settled revolutions in Spain
D7sus4   *Gma7* *Em7*
The North Pole I have charted
    Am7   *D7b9(+Eb) F7b5(+B)   E7 A7 D7sus4*
But I can't get started with you

Around the golf course I'm under par
And all the movies want me to star
I've built a house and show place
    Am7   *D7b9*   *G6   F7*
But I can't get no place with you

     Gma7   *Gma7*   *Bm7/E*   *E7*
    You're so su   preme
Bm7/C#   *E7*   *Ama7 Dma7*
Lyrics that I write of you, scheme,
Ama7/B Ama7/B   *Am7   D7*
just for a sight of you, and I dream
Am7/B   *D7*
both day and night of you
Bm7/E   *E9*   *D7*   *D7sus4*
And   what good does it do. In nineteen

In 1929, I sold short
In London, I'm presented at court
But you've got me down hearted,
Cause I can't get started with you

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