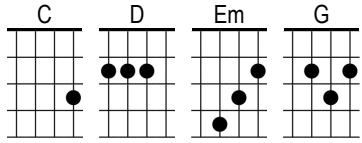


How To Save A Life

The Fray



G Step one you say we **D** need to talk
He **Em** walks you say sit **D** down it's just a **G** talk
He smiles po**D**lately back at you **Em**
You stare po**D**lately right on **G** through
Some sort of **D** window to your **Em** right
As he goes **D** left and you stay **G** right
Between the **D** lines of fear and **Em** blame
And you begin to **D** wonder why you came

Chorus

C Where did I go **D** wrong, I lost a **Em** friend
Somewhere a **G** long in the bitterness
And **C** I would have stayed **D** up with you all **Em** night
Had I known **G** how to save a | life **D Em D**

G Let him know that **D** you know best
'Cause **Em** after all you **D** do know best
G Try to slip past **D** his defence
Em Without granting **D** innocence
G Lay down a **D** list of what is **Em** wrong
The things **D** you've told him all a **G** long
And pray to God he **D** hears you
And I **Em** pray to God he **D** hears you and

Repeat Chorus

As **G** he begins to **D** raise his voice
You **Em** lower yours and **D** grant him one last **G** choice
Drive until you **D** lose the road
Or **Em** break with the ones you've **D** followed
G He will do **D** one of two things
Em He will admit to **D** everything
G Or he'll say he's just **D** not the same
And **Em** you'll begin to **D** wonder why you came

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