

**From The Ground Up**  
**Allister**

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Before The Blackout  
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Key: **B**

Tuning: Standard EADGBE

Chords used:

**B** - x24442  
**F#** - 244322  
**G#m** - 466444  
**E** - 022100  
**C#** - x46664  
**C#m** - x46654  
**G** - 320033

Verse 1:

**B**  
We built this up together  
**G#m**  
on a shaky ground  
**F#**  
Before too long it  
**E**  
started crumbling down  
**G#m**  
So I got out before the  
**B**  
whole thing hit the floor  
**F#**  
But you knew better  
**E**  
I d be back for more  
**G#m** **F#**  
And when I finally did  
**B** **E**  
it was strange to see  
**G#m** **F#**  
That you rebuilt it  
**B** **E**  
with no help from me  
**G#m** **F#**  
The same foundation

**B**          **E**  
but the rest is new

**G#m**  
    You made this  
**F#**                  **B**  
it belongs to you

Chorus 1:

**E**          **F#**  
It all went by too fast  
**G#m**                  **C#**  
No time to react  
                  **E**  
Once you have fired the shots  
          **F#**                  **B**  
They can't be taken back

Verse 2:

**B**  
You spread your roots  
and make your things  
          **G#m**  
for all of me  
**F#**  
    The ground is soft but  
          **E**  
there's no room to breathe  
          **G#m**  
You had to push and  
          **B**  
force into abnormal growth  
**F#**  
    We could have dreamed  
          **E**  
it if we took it slow  
          **G#m**                  **F#**  
But from the highest branches  
          **B**                  **E**  
there's much thinner air  
**G#m**                  **F#**  
    And things are different  
          **B**                  **E**  
when you're way up there  
**G#m**                  **F#**  
    Now all I want is you  
          **B**                  **E**  
to come back down  
**G#m**                  **F#**  
    And start again  
          **B**  
on level ground

(Repeat Chorus 1)

Bridge:

**E**  
I went and left you for dead  
**B** **F#**  
But you just got up again  
**E**  
And every fight just  
**B** **F#**  
seems to make you stronger  
**E**  
I tried to tear this apart  
**B** **C#m**  
But it was blown  
from the start  
**E** **F#**  
Cause you just had to  
**G**  
grab them all and run

Guitar Solo: B-G#m-F#-E- x2 E--

Verse 3:

**G#m** **F#**  
But from the highest branches  
**B** **E**  
there s much thinner air  
**G#m** **F#**  
And things are different  
**B** **E**  
when you re way up there  
**G#m** **F#**  
Now all I want is you  
**B** **E**  
to come back down  
**G#m** **F#**  
And start again  
**B**  
on level ground

(Repeat Chorus 1)

Chorus 2:

**E** **F#** **G** **G#m**  
It all went by too fast  
**C#**  
Never could react

**E**

Once you have fired the shots

**F#**

**B B(hold)**

They can t be taken back