

**Stuck Powered On**  
**Allister**

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Life Behind Machines  
2012

Key: G

Tuning: Standard EADGBE

Chords used:

**Em** - 022000  
**Am** - x02210  
**B** - x24442  
**G** - 320033  
**G/B** - x2x003  
**C** - x32010  
**D** - xx0232  
**D/F#** - 2x023x  
**F** - 133211

Intro: **Em**-- x4

Verse 1:

**Em**  
I lay down for the night  
**Am**  
and rest my weary eyes  
**B**  
hoping tonight that  
**Em**  
things might change  
**Em**  
but in this darkness my  
**Am**  
thoughts start to multiply  
**B** **Em**  
and sanity slowly slips away

Refrain:

**Am**  
and as the sun starts creeping  
**D** **Em**  
through the cracks between  
**Am**

the shades it calls me out to

**B**

battle through another day

Chorus 1:

**Em**

And I just need one more

**C**

**G**

hour to sleep sweet relief

**B**

from the demons in my mind

**Em**

I toss and turn but still

**C**

nothing seems to rule

**G**

Can't turn off these nervous  
thoughts and though

**B**

I'm shutting my mind's  
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Post Chorus: Guitar Solo

Em--C--G--B--

Verse 2:

**Em**

I peel my body up

**Am**

and pour myself a cup

**B**

Go through the motions

**Em**

of the day

**Em**

And try to figure

**Am**

out a way to

**B**

reconcile the two sides

**Em**

at war inside of me

(Repeat Refrain)

(Repeat Chorus 1)

Bridge:

**G**

As seconds  
    **C**  
turns to minutes  
and hours into  
**Em**  
days. My thoughts  
    **C**  
evaporate into the  
**G/B**  
haze of real  
    **Am**        **D**  
life dreams I need  
    **C**  
to clear my mind  
    **G/B Am**  
of everything so that  
**G**        **D/F#**        **F(hold)**  
I can get some sleep

Interlude: Em--C--G--B--

Chorus 2:

**Em**  
And I just need one more  
**C**                    **G**  
hour to sleep sweet relief  
                    **B**  
from the demons in my mind  
    **Em**  
I toss and turn but still  
**C**  
nothing seems to rule  
    **G**  
Can't turn off these nervous  
thoughts and though  
    **B**  
I'm shutting my mind's  
            Em--C--G--B-- Drumbeats  
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