

**The Waiting**  
**Angel Olsen**

The Waiting by Angel Olsen  
From the album Half Way Home.  
Tabbed by Laxan.

I hastily wrote down the lyrics, so there may be errors.

Worked out the tab using this video of her playing live:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2SNOC1FabXw>

All open chords except Cm which is played as a barre chord.  
Enjoy!

[Verse 1]

**Cm D G**

Here you come along,

**Am D G**

I take a breath and remind myself that I too can be strong

**Am D**

Thought I was cool, turns out I m a fool

**Am D**

Clearly you ve proved me wrong

**G Am D G**

I didn t know what I was missing when I was alone.

[Chorus]

**Cm D G**

And now I m fruitlessly waiting for

**Am D G**

Someone not thinking before they start rushing to my door

**Am D**

Someone to run not walk

**Am D**

Oh, someone to sing not talk

**Am D**

Oh, no hesitation at all

**G Am D G**

Sometimes I need you to be the one to call

**Am D**

Well I m lost in my thoughts they tumble ahead

**Am D**

Over and over again, yeah it s true

[Verse 2]

**Cm D G**

Just take a look at what s been done to me

**Cm D**

I wasted time to ponder

**Cm D**

Here I am now, all Alice in Wonder

**G** **Am** **D**  
Partly I do this to myself but why can't you see  
**G** **Am** **D**  
The gesture is small but know that it means the world to me  
**Am** **D**  
Oh, forgive me for wanting, I'm only learning life  
**Am** **D**  
Forgiven myself and now, there's no returning  
**G** **Am** **D**  
I want to be the one who knows the best way  
**G** **Am** **D**  
I want to be the one who knows the best way  
**G** **Am** **D** **G**  
I want to be the one who knows the best way to love you

[Chorus]

**Cm** **D** **G**  
But now I'm foolishly waiting for  
**Am** **D** **G**  
Someone not thinking before they start rushing to my door  
**Am** **D**  
Someone to run not walk  
**Am** **D**  
Oh, someone to sing not talk  
**Am** **D**  
Oh, no hesitation at all  
**G** **Am** **D** **G**  
Sometimes I need you to be the one to call  
**G** **Am** **D** **G**  
I need you to be the one  
**G** **Am** **D** **G**  
I need you to be the one  
**G** **Am** **D** **G**  
I need you to be the one

[Outro]

**G** **Am** **D** **G**  
**G** **Am** **D** **G**