

Allie

Belle and Sebastian

[Intro] G D/F# Am7/E Em/B Bb7+/F Am7/E D
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Em

Em G D F#m

Allie, what would you do?

C Em
When there s bombs in the middle east, you want to hurt yourself
A Em
When there s knives in the city streets, you want to end yourself
D C Am
When there s fun in your mother s house, you want to cry yourself
B
To sleep

Em G D F#m

Allie, what would you do?

C Em
With your fears, because they re adding one by one
A Em
And your mountains are obscured behind the sun
D Em G C
And the person that you could be is crumbling into dust
G C
You re in the mess cause you thought
G
You d be someone else

Am Em
cause the tricks in your head are a lie
Am Em
Yeah, the tricks in your head are a lie
D Am
Yeah, the tricks in your head, the trick in you head
Em
Are a lie

Em G D F#m

Allie, hand on your head

C Em
And a prayer from the soon-to-be-closing library
A Em
And if you looked from here, you would surely see
D Em G C
There s a softness in your heart, there s a poetry to come
G C
You bought that gun cause you thought
G

You d be someone else

Am

Em

cause the tricks in your head are a lie

Am

Em

Yeah, the tricks in your head are a lie

D

Am

Yeah, the tricks in your head, the trick in you head

Em

Are a lie

D

C

You made a list of all your heroes

D

C

And you thought about what they went through

Am

G

Yeah, you thought about what they went through

F

Em

D

It s much darker, much harder, than anything that happened to you

[Solo] **Em G D F#m C Em A Em D C Am B**

Em

G

D

F#m

Allie, what would you do?

C

Em

When your seven-year plan happens to someone else

A

Em

And the people in your life you would happily shelf

D

Em G

C

When the day falls night, you are truly on your own?

G

C

You re in this place cause you thought

G

You d be someone else

Am

Em

But the tricks in your head are a lie

Am

Em

Yeah, the tricks in your head are a lie

D

Am

Yeah, the tricks in your head, the tricks in your head

Em

Are a lie

Am

Em

Yeah, the tricks in your head are a lie

Am

Em

Yeah, the tricks in your head are a lie

D

Am

Yeah, the tricks in your head, the tricks in your head

Em

Are a lie