

## Putting Up A Resistance

Beres Hammond

all the verses and chorus follow the same chord progression. I usually play the C chord at the 8th fret with C in the bass, then slide down to the 6th fret Bb, then just drop down to the 6th fret Eb, I just prefer the sound on my guitar when I keep it in that fret range. I just wanted to create a quick easy to play version to play on my acoustic guitar, so there may be tensions or passing chords that I m missing in here, but this is close enough to play along with the song, or sing.

intro

**Cm Bb**

**Cm**

**Bb**

No I never can understand it

**Cm**

**Bb**

The way the system plan

**Cm**

There s no hope, no chance

**Bb**

**Cm**

**Bb**

No loophole, no escape for a suffering man

**Eb**

**Cm**

Cause every time I lift my head above water

**Eb**

**Cm**

And try to save myself from drown

**Eb**

**Cm**

There s an overnight scheme all worked out

**Eb**

**Bb**

Designed to keep ah me down

**Ab**

**Bb**

Still I m (putting up a resistance)

**Eb**

**Ab**

I m ah gonna work it out

**Ab**

**Bb**

You know I m (putting up a resistance)

**Eb**

**Bb**

I ve got to work it out

**Cm**

**Bb**

No window, no window

I want to stay home tonight

I long to spend some time with the family

But staying home won t make it right

Sometimes the pressure make me feel like hollar

When every sign says no way out

Breaking my back to make an overtime dollar

That just goes from hand to mouth

Still I m (putting up a resistance)  
I m gonna work it out  
You know I m (putting up a resistance)  
I ve got to work it out  
Lord I m (putting up a resistance)  
I m ah gonna work it out  
You know I m (putting up a resistance)  
I m gonna work it out, Lord!

Got to fight it  
Got to fight it

No I never can understand it  
The way the system goes  
I don t know how they do it  
There s only one way things flow  
I don t know how they do it  
Cause every time I leave my head above water  
And try to save myself from drowning  
There s an overnight scheme all worked out  
Designed to keep ah me down

Still I m (putting up a resistance)  
I ve got to work it out  
You know I m (putting up a resistance)  
I m gonna work it out now  
Putting up a resistance  
I m gonna work it out

No window, no window  
I want to stay home tonight  
I d like to spend some time with the family  
But staying home won t make it right  
Sometimes the pressure make me feel like hollar  
When every sign says no way out  
Breaking my back to make an overnight dollar  
That just goes from hand to mouth