

Crooked Minds
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Dead Silence
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Key: **F**

Tuning: Standard EADGBe

Chords used:

Dm - xx0231
C/E - 032xxx
F - 133211
Gm - 355333
Bb - x13331
F/A - x032xx
Bb7 - x13131
A - x02220
Edim - 07868x or xx2323

Intro: **Dm-Edim-F-Bb-F/A-Bb-F/A-F-Bb7--Dm-Bb7--**

Chorus 1:

Dm **Dm** **Edim** **F**
Crooked minds have gone astray
Bb **F/A** **Bb** **F/A**
Have they never learned from yesterday?
 F **Bb7**
Only a fool would wear the crown
 Dm **Bb7**(hold) **A-Gm**(hold)
One day the kids will tear it down

Dm-- x4 Bb--Gm--Dm--
Yeah

Verse 1:

Can t you see the
Dm
clocks are ticking away?
They try to fit more
hours into the day
To see that you was
crunching numbers away

We re running out breath
just to keep up the pace
And when did the

Bb

revolver start the race?

Gm

When did the revolver
start the race?

Dm

Accelerated architecture creates
a manufactured lifestyle
for the deranged
They swallow up the green
and build up the gray
And like tomorrows
kids dispose of today
And when d you think the

Bb

roots will buy them out?

When d you think the

Gm

roots will buy them out?

Chorus 2:

Dm

Crooked minds under gray skies

Bb

They can t live til something dies

Bb

(the kids will tear it down)

until something dies

Gm

(the kids will tear it down)

Dm

Crooked minds ain t satisfied
until the ground touches the sky

Bb

(the kids will tear it down)

touches the sky

Gm

(the kids will tear it down)

Verse 2:

Dm

Cemetery statue stare into space
sucked into a social media craze
They re looking for an
answer to explain
the reason why
disaster strikes again

Dm

A picture perfect family
sits by the lake
swimming in a sea
of mechanical waste

And can t they see

Bb

a tragedy awaits?
Can t they see a
tragedy awaits?

Chorus 3:

Dm

Crooked minds under gray skies

Bb

They can t live til something dies

Bb

(the kids will tear it down)
until something dies

Gm

(the kids will tear it down)

Dm

Crooked minds ain t satisfied
until the ground touches the sky

Bb

(the kids will tear it down)
touches the sky

Gm

(the kids will tear it down)

Dm C Bb A-Gm Dm-C-Bb--A-Gm-

We ll tear it down

Bridge:

Dm C

Bb

Cauterize these butchered eyes

Gm

Dm

Tangled in their power lines

C

Bb

Tear the ground up with their lives

Gm

Dm

Raise the caskets in the sky

C

Bb

Someday soon they ll realize

Gm

Nothing s left for you and I

Nothing s left for you and I

Interlude: **Dm-Edim-F-Bb-F/A-Bb-F/A-F-Bb7--Dm-Bb7--**

Chorus 4: Similar to Intro

Dm Dm Edim F
Crooked minds have gone astray
Bb F/A Bb F/A
Have they never learned from yesterday?
F Bb7
Only a fool would wear the crown
Dm Bb7(hold) A-Gm(hold)
One day the kids will tear it down

Chorus 5:

Dm
Crooked minds under gray skies
Bb
They can't live til something dies
Bb
(the kids will tear it down)
until something dies
Gm
(the kids will tear it down)
Dm
Crooked minds ain't satisfied
until the ground touches the sky
Bb
(the kids will tear it down)
touches the sky
Gm
(the kids will tear it down)

Outro:

Dm C Bb
Cauterize these butchered eyes
Gm Dm
Tangled in their power lines
C Bb
Tear the ground up with their lives
Gm Dm
Raise the caskets in the sky
C Bb
Someday soon they'll realize
Gm
Nothing's left

until something dies
Bb
(the kids will tear it down)
until something dies
Gm
(the kids will tear it down)
Dm(hold)
until something dies