5 Days In May Blue Rodeo

[Notes]

Use an alternating bass/strum pattern, except for last four lines of chorus (from I know my past...) where the chords are finger-plucked on strings 2 through 5 only. Those chords are:

 Am
 X0221X

 G/B
 X2000X

 C
 X3201X

 Em7/C
 X3243X

Key: Em

[Intro]

Em D Am C

[Verse]

Em

They met in a hurricane

D

Standing in the shelter out of the rain

Am C

She tucked a note into his hand

Em

Later on they took his car

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Drove on down where the beaches are

Am C

He wrote her name in the sand

G F C

Never even let go of her hand

Em D Am C

Em

Somehow they stayed that way

D

For those 5 days in May

Am C

Made all the stars around them shine

Em

Funny how you can look in vain

D

Living on nerves and such sweet pain

Am (

The loneliness that cuts so fine

G F C D

To find the face you ve seen a thousand times

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[Chorus]
Sometimes the world begins
To set you up on your feet again
It wipes the tears from your eyes
How will you ever know
The way that circumstances go
Always going to hit you by surprise
  \mathbf{Am}
I know my past
G/B
You were there
                    Em7/C
   C
In everything I ve done
             \mathbf{E}\mathbf{m}
You are the one
[Verse 2]
Looking back it s hard to tell
Why they stood while others fell
Spend your life working it out
All I know is one cloudy day
They both just ran away
Rain on the windshield heading South
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She loved the lines around his mouth
[Chorus]
C
Sometimes the world begins
To set you up on your feet again
It wipes the tears from your eyes
How will you ever know
The way that circumstances go
Always going to hit you by surprise
  Am
I know my past
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G/B

You were there

Em7/C

In everything I ve done

Em

You are the one