

**Like Knives**  
**City and Colour**

Chords: **Em** or **Em7**: x75000 or x75700  
**Em9/D**: x54000 or x54050  
**Cmaj7** or **Cadd9**: x32000 or x32030  
**Em9/D\***: x54030  
**C**: x32010  
**G**: 320033

Tabbed by rubyrod7 for Ultimate Guitar

Note: Thanks to youtube user madeindar for the chords. This isn't meant to match what

Dallas plays on the record, but I found these chords are good to use when you just want

to play the song in standard tuning. The switch from Em to Em9/D to Cmaj7 is pretty quick so

look out for that. Also, when playing the C, if you lift off your first finger after the first measure it sounds a bit better.

(Verse 1)

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**

Your words are like knives

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**

They peel my skin and pierce my soul

**Em** **Cmaj7**

Your body will burn tonight

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**

Though your heart may still remain cold

(Chorus)

**Em9/D\*** **C**

And I will blame myself

**Em9/D\*** **C**

And I will blame myself

**Em9/D\*** **C**

For holding onto what I hoped would keep you by my side.

**Em9/D\*** **C**

I will blame myself

(Verse 2)

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**  
The sheets are stained with

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**  
Memories of your soft kiss

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**  
Now this is all I have

**Em** **Em9/D Cmaj7**  
Paper and pen to remember you with

(Chorus)

**Em9/D\*** **C**  
And I will blame myself

**Em9/D\*** **C**  
And I will blame myself

**Em9/D\*** **C**  
For holding onto what i hoped would keep you by my side.

**Em9/D\*** **C**  
I will blame myself

(Outro)

**G** **C**  
Can I have you?

**G** **C**  
Can I have you?

**G** **C**  
Can I have you?

**G** **C** **Em9/D\***  
Can i have you?