

**A Long December**  
**Counting Crows**

Intro: **Eb G# Fm G# Eb G# Fm**

**G# Eb Bb Fm**  
A long December and there s reason to believe  
**G# Eb G#**  
Maybe this year will be better than the last  
**Fm G# Eb Bb**  
I can t remember the last thing that you said  
**Fm**  
as you were leavin  
**Eb G#**  
Now the days go by so fast  
**Eb G# Fm G#**  
And it s one more day up in the canyons  
**Eb G# Fm G#**  
And it s one more night in Hollywood  
**Eb G# Fm Eb**  
If you think that I could be forgiven...I wish you would  
**G# Fm G# ....**  
nanananananananana..  
  
The smell of hospitals in winter  
And the feeling that it s all a lot of oysters, but no pearls  
All at once you look across a crowded room  
To see the way that light attaches to a girl  
  
And it s one more day up in the conyons  
And it s one more night in Hollywood  
If you think you might come to California...I think you should  
  
Drove up to the Hillside Manor sometime after two a.m.  
And talked a little while about the year  
I guess the winter makes you laugh a little slower  
Makes you talk a little lower about  
the things you could not show her  
  
And it s been a long December and there s reason to believe  
Maybe this year will be better than the last  
I can t remember all the times I tried to tell myself  
To hold on to these moments as they pass  
  
And it s been one more day up in the canyon  
And it s one more night in Hollywood  
It s been so long since I ve seen the ocean...I guess I should

[Versão 2]

**G#** **Eb** **Bb** **Fm**  
 A long December and there s reason to believe  
**G#** **Eb** **G#**  
 Maybe this year will be better than the last  
**Fm** **G#** **Eb** **Bb**  
**Fm**

I can t remember the last thing you said as you were leavin  
**Eb** **G#**  
 Now the days go by so fast

Chorus:

**Eb** **G#** **Fm**  
 And it s one more day up in the canyons  
**Eb** **G#** **Fm**  
 And it s one more night in Hollywood  
**Eb** **G#** **Fm** **Bb..**  
 If you think that I could be forgiven... I wish you would

**Eb** **G#**  
 Na na na na  
**Fm** **G#**  
 Na na na na na na na na na  
**Eb** **G#** **Fm**  
 Na na na na yeah

**G#** **Eb**  
 The smell of hospitals in winter  
**Bb** **G#**

**Eb**  
 And the feeling that it s all a lot of oysters, but no pearls  
**G#** **Fm** **Eb**  
 All at once you look across a crowded room  
**Bb** **Fm** **Eb** **G#**  
 To see the way that light attaches to a girl

**Eb** **G#** **Fm**  
 And it s one more day up in the canyons  
**Eb** **G#** **Fm**  
 And it s one more night in Hollywood  
**Eb** **G#** **Fm** **Bb..**  
 If you think you might come to California. ..I think you should

**G#** **Eb** **Bb** **Fm**  
 Drove up to Hillside Manor sometime after two a.m.  
**G#** **Eb** **G#**  
 And talked a little while about the year  
**Fm** **G#** **Eb** **Bb**  
 I guess the winter makes you laugh a little slower,  
**Fm** **Eb** **G#**  
 Makes you talk a little lower about the things you could not show her  
**G#** **Eb** **Bb**  
**Fm**

And it s been a long December and there s reason to believe

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I can t remember all the times I tried to tell myself

To hold on to these moments as they pass  
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And it s one more night in Hollywood

It s been so long since I ve seen the ocean...  
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DO THE NA NA NA THING AGAIN RIGHT HERE

[Versão 3]

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[Chorus: F Bb Gm C F Bb Gm]

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To see the way that light attaches to a girl  
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If you think you might come to California...I think you should

[Chorus]

Drove up to Hillside Manor sometime after two a.m.

**Bb** **F** **Bb**  
And talked a little while about the year

**F** **C** **Gm**  
I guess the winter makes you laugh a little slower,

**Bb** **F** **Bb**  
Makes you talk a little lower about the things you could not show her

**F** **C** **Gm**  
And it s been a long December and there s reason to believe

**Bb** **F** **Bb**  
Maybe this year will be better than the last

**F** **C** **Gm**  
I can t remember all the times I tried to tell my myself

**Bb** **F** **Bb**  
To hold on to these moments as they pass

**F** **Bb** **Gm**  
And it s one more day up in the canyons

**F** **Bb** **Gm**  
And it s one more night in Hollywood

**F** **Bb** **Gm**  
It s been so long since I ve seen the ocean... I guess I should

[Chorus]