

Just Feel Better

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This is the original version of the song covered by Carlos Santana and Steven Tyler.

This version has a much more somber mood than the more upbeat sounding Santana one. I

have to admit I like Damon s version much better.

Tune down a 1/2 step (D# G# C# F# A# D#, also noted as Eb Ab Db Gb Bb Eb).

All chords that I named below are relative to standard tuning (even though this song is a 1/2 step down) so that I wouldn t have to give chord names that many (including me) would be unfamiliar with.

Chords used:

	E	A	D	G	B	E
Am	x	0	2	2	1	0
C	x	3	2	0	1	0
F	x	3	3	2	1	1
G	3	2	0	0	3	3
Em	0	2	2	0	0	0
F#	2	4	4	3	2	2
Dm	x	0	0	2	3	1

Intro: **Am**

Am **C**
She says I feel stranded,
F
and I can t tell anymore
C **Am**
if I m coming or I m going.
Am **C**
It s not how I planned it.
F
I ve got the key to the door,
C
but it just won t open.

G
I know, I know, I know
Dm
part of me says let it go
F
that life happens for a reason.
G
I don t, I don t, I don t

Dm

because it never worked before,

F

C

and this time I ll try anything to just feel better.

C

G

Tell me what to do.

Dm

You know I can t see through the haze around me.

F

C

I ll do anything to just feel better.

C

G

I can t find my way.

Dm

God, I need a change.

F

Am

I ll do anything to just feel better, any little thing to just feel better.

Am

C

She said I need you to hold me.

F

I m a little far from the shore,

C

Am

and I m afraid of sinking.

Am

C

You re the only one who knows me

F

and who doesn t ignore

C

that my soul is weeping.

G

I know, I know, I know

Dm

part of me says let it go,

F

everything must have its season.

G

Round and round we go.

Dm

Every day s the one before,

F

C

and this time I ll try anything to just feel better.

C

G

Tell me what to do.

Dm

You know I can t see through the haze around me.

F

C

I ll do anything to just feel better.

C

G

I can t find my way.

Dm

God, I need a change.

F

Em

I ll do anything to just feel better, any little thing to just feel better.

Em **F#**
And I m tired of holding on

C

G

Em

to all the things I ought to leave behind

Em **F#**
It s really getting old, yeah.

C

G (one strum)

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I think I need a little help this time.

(for this chorus, one strum for each chord, and let ring)

(**C** is ringing) **G**
Tell me what to do.

Dm

You know I can t see through the haze around me.

F

C

I ll do anything to just feel better.

(**C** still ringing) **G**

I can t find my way.

Dm

Yes, I need a change.

F (back to normal strum pattern)

C

I ll do anything to just feel better, any little thing to just feel better.

C **G**
Tell me what to do.

Dm

You know I can t see through the haze around me.

F

C

I ll do anything to just feel better.

C **G**
I can t find my way.

Dm

God, I need a change.

F

C

I ll do anything to just feel better, any little thing to just feel better.

Outro: **C G Dm F**