

**Can't Stay Alone Tonight**  
**Elton John**

*verse 1*

**D** **A**  
I blew the dust out of the corners  
**G** **Bm**  
Threw some dead wood on the fire  
**D** **A**  
Tuned the radio to silence  
**G** **D**  
Watched the evening sun expire  
**Bm** **F#m**  
Should have called you up this morning  
**G** **Em**  
But I m such a fool at times  
**D** **A**  
I still search my shaving mirror  
**C** **G** **D**  
Looking for your face with mine

*Chorus*

**G** **A**  
And I can t stay alone tonight  
**G** **D**  
Can t let another day go by  
**Bm**  
Why is it always this way?  
**Em** **A**  
Time never seems to really fly  
**G** **A**  
And time is never really on my side  
**G** **F#m** **Bm**  
And I can t stay alone tonight  
**Em** **A**  
Things have to change and they might  
**G** **A** **D**  
But I can t stay alone tonight

*verse 2*

**D** **A**  
Chalk up one more crazy notion  
**G** **Bm**  
Imagination running wild  
**D** **A**

But if I needed confirmation  
G D  
I would have gone that extra mile  
Bm F#m  
You're the last chance on the highway  
G Em  
I'm that open stretch of road  
D A  
You're the diner in my rear-view  
C G D  
A cup of coffee getting cold

*Chorus*

G A  
And I can't stay alone tonight  
G D  
Can't let another day go by  
Bm  
Why is it always this way?  
Em A  
Time never seems to really fly  
G A  
And time is never really on my side  
G F#m Bm  
And I can't stay alone tonight  
Em A  
Things have to change and they might  
G A D  
But I can't stay alone tonight

*Bridge*

Bb Dm  
Bruised in this cold war of words  
C F  
We've come undone two loose ends alone  
Bb Dm  
Possessed by that curse you've endured  
Gm Asus4 A  
The spell that I cast couldn't make you come home

*Chorus*

G A  
And I can't stay alone tonight  
G D  
Can't let another day go by

Bm

Why is it always this way?

Em A

Time never seems to really fly

G A

And time is never really on my side

G F#m Bm

And I can't stay alone tonight

Em A

Things have to change and they might

G A D

But I can't stay alone tonight

Em A

Things have to change and they might

G A D

But I can't stay alone tonight

Outro

D G D A D