

Can't Stay Alone Tonight
Elton John

verse 1

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

Chorus

G# **Bb**
And I can t stay alone tonight
G# **Eb**
Can t let another day go by
Cm
Why is it always this way?
Fm **Bb**
Time never seems to really fly
G# **Bb**
And time is never really on my side
G# **Gm** **Cm**
And I can t stay alone tonight
Fm **Bb**
Things have to change and they might
G# **Bb** **Eb**
But I can t stay alone tonight

verse 2

Eb **Bb**
Chalk up one more crazy notion
G# **Cm**
Imagination running wild
Eb **Bb**

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

Chorus

G# Bb
And I can't stay alone tonight
G# Eb
Can't let another day go by
Cm
Why is it always this way?
Fm Bb
Time never seems to really fly
G# Bb
And time is never really on my side
G# Gm Cm
And I can't stay alone tonight
Fm Bb
Things have to change and they might
G# Bb Eb
But I can't stay alone tonight

Bridge

B Ebm
Bruised in this cold war of words
C# F#
We've come undone two loose ends alone
B Ebm
Possessed by that curse you've endured
G#m Bbsus4 Bb
The spell that I cast couldn't make you come home

Chorus

G# Bb
And I can't stay alone tonight
G# Eb
Can't let another day go by

Cm

Why is it always this way?

Fm Bb

Time never seems to really fly

G# Bb

And time is never really on my side

G# Gm Cm

And I can't stay alone tonight

Fm Bb

Things have to change and they might

G# Bb Eb

But I can't stay alone tonight

Fm Bb

Things have to change and they might

G# Bb Eb

But I can't stay alone tonight

Outro

Eb G# Eb Bb Eb