

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

*verse 1*

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

*Chorus*

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

*verse 2*

**C#** **G#**  
Chalk up one more crazy notion  
**F#** **Bbm**  
Imagination running wild  
**C#** **G#**

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

*Chorus*

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

*Bridge*

A C#m  
Bruised in this cold war of words  
B E  
We've come undone two loose ends alone  
A C#m  
Possessed by that curse you've endured  
F#m G#sus4 G#  
The spell that I cast couldn't make you come home

*Chorus*

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

Bbm

Why is it always this way?

Ebm G#

Time never seems to really fly

F# G#

And time is never really on my side

F# Fm Bbm

And I can't stay alone tonight

Ebm G#

Things have to change and they might

F# G# C#

But I can't stay alone tonight

Ebm G#

Things have to change and they might

F# G# C#

But I can't stay alone tonight

Outro

C# F# C# G# C#