

**Alibi**

**Elvis Costello**

**F#m D E** (x2)

**F#m**

You did it, cos you want it

**D E**

Alibi, alibi

**F#m**

And you took it, cause you need it

**D E**

Alibi, alibi

**A E7 A**

But if I ve done something wrong

**E7 A**

There re no ifs and buts

**E7 A**

Cause I love you just as much

**E7 F#m**

As I hate your guts

Alibi, alibi, alibi...

You don t need anybody

Alibi, alibi

But you are the only one who knows this

Alibi, alibi

You deserve it, cause you re special

Alibi, alibi

Maybe Jesus wants you for a sunbeam

Alibi, alibi

But if I left something out I apologize

But if you look in my eyes

Then I sure you will see

Alibis, alibis, alibis...

**C Em F**

Sometimes I m so forgiving ohhhh oh

**G**

Everything seems bad to me ohhhh oh

**C Em F**

But I can t go on living ohhhh oh

With this

**F#m**

Alibi, alibi, alibi, alibi...

Insane, but I m mundane

Alibi, alibi

and you only wanted to be famous  
Alibi alibi  
Sorry that your mummy doesn't love you  
Alibi, alibi  
Stop me, if you've heard this  
Alibi, alibi

But if I've done something right  
Then don't be surprised  
There are soldiers who will kill  
But be refused to die

But if I've done something wrong  
There are no ifs and buts  
Cause I love you just as much  
As I hate your guts  
Alibi, alibi, alibi, alibi...

You were weak  
You couldn't help it  
Alibi, alibi  
But you never had an opponent  
Alibi, alibi

But if I left something out I apologize.  
But if you look in my eyes  
Then I'm sure you will see  
Alibis, alibis, alibis

And you are such a people person  
Alibi, alibi  
And I will be true to you forever  
Alibi, alibi  
But you're stupid and you're lazy  
Alibi, alibi  
And maybe we can make the future better  
Alibi, alibi

But if I've done something wrong  
There's no ifs and buts  
Cause I love you just as much  
As I hate your guts  
Alibi, alibi, alibi

Sometimes I'm so forgiving ohhhh oh  
Everything seems bad to me ohhhh oh  
But I can't go on living ohhhh oh  
With this  
Alibi, alibi, alibi,

You were happy  
You were poor  
And more honest

And that s your  
Alibi, alibi

Sister is a whore  
Brother isn't sure  
Alibi, alibi  
You don t fit the body that you re trapped in  
Alibi, alibi  
Papa s got a brand new  
Alibi, alibi

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There are no ifs and buts  
Cause I love you just as much  
As I hate your guts

But if I left something out I apologize.  
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