

If You Met Me First
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[Intro]

F#m D A E

F#m D A E

[Verse]

F#m D

Why do you look at me like that.

A E

Your eyes saying things that they can't take back.

F#m D A

Feels good. Feels right. It don't help.

F#m D

Every night when the clock gets loud,

A E

I hate that I know what you're doing right now.

F#m D A E

Your arms around someone else.

[Pre-Chorus]

D E

Every time I'm next to you, I swear that you can feel it too.

D E*

How long can we do this to ourselves?

[Chorus]

D A

In a different place and time,

E F#m D A E

maybe in another life, I bet that baby you and I would have worked.

D A

We'll never get the chance to try.

E F#m

And what makes it worse is

D E A

You wouldn't've loved me, if you met me first.

[Verse]

F#m D

I can't even count all the times I've thought

A E

About the line I'd never cross.

F#m D A E

But I've crossed that line in my head.

[Pre-Chorus]

D E

I can't steal you from somebody else, just to have you to myself.

D **E***
My heart don t wanna hear me tell the truth.

[Chorus]

D **A**
In a different place and time,
E **F#m** **D** **A** **E**
maybe in another life, I bet that baby you and I would have worked.
D **A**
We ll never get the chance to try.
E **F#m**
And what makes it worse is
D **E** **A**
You wouldâ€™ve loved me, if you met me first.

[Bridge]

D
I m not hanging on to hope.
E **A** **D** **E***
If you do or if you don t, I don t ever wanna know for sure.

[Chorus]

D* **A***
In a different place and time,
E* **F#m*** **D*** **A***
maybe in another life, I bet that baby you and I would have worked.
D **A**
We ll never get the chance to try.
E **F#m**
And what makes it worse is
D **E** **A**
You wouldâ€™ve loved me, if you met me first.
D **E** **A**
You wouldâ€™ve loved me, if you met me first.
D* **E*** **A***
Oh, you wouldâ€™ve loved me, if you met me first.

*_One strum
