The People I Know
Eric Hutchinson

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   by Eric Hutchinson
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   Okay, so as of posting this tab (10/26/2010) This song has
 not been officially recorded, nor has officially been selected for Eric s
 next album. It s possible that, even if it is selected, some parts of the
 song will be changed. This tab exists purely because I watch way too many
 live performances of Eric Hutchinson and freaking love this song.

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Basic Chords:
 Verse-       A      B      E    C#min
 Pre-Chorus- F#min  G#     A    B
 Chorus-      E      C#min  A    E
 Bridge-      F#min  A  C#   E
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   Verse 1:
A                              B
I ve got a best friend who I ve known some time
         E                          C#min
And after all of these years I ve got to read his mind
           A                B
And when he leaves the room I can feel him sigh
         E                        C#min
As his thoughts  they slip out like whispers
A                        B
Who would ve know it d be this hard to wait
         E                 C#min
For one person to person to communicate
              A                        B
And it never feels dramatic while we complicate
                 E                        C#min
Thank god for old friends they always forgive us
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   Pre-Chorus:
     F#min
I m longing for the house remembering all these days
 G#
Never done enough, everything feels great
   A                     B
If I am not myself, then who am I pretending to be
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   (Chorus)
            E                 C#min
And I said how am I gonna get by
              A                     E
Without the help of the people I know
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      E                         C#min
For better or worse we all come together
          A                 E
And they won t let me die alone


   Verse 2:
And I ve got a sister who I barely see
Despite the fact the lives right up the block from me
And when we run in to each other on the street
It s like two strangers soul to soul
When I was younger she was younger too
It seems the space is the only thing that really grew
And now we re both grown up and still without a clue
Thank god for family they always forgive us


   Pre-Chorus
I m thinking of the house where we were always raised
And every family tree some history remains
If I am not myself, then who am I pretending to be


   (Chorus)
And I said how am I gonna get by
Without the help of the people I know
For better or worse we all come together
And they won t let me die alone
I said they won t let me die alone



   Bridge:
F#min      A                   C#        E
Maybe I m not supposed to be close
F#min          A                   C#          E     B
To all of the people I need the most need (the most)


 Chorus:
And I said
How am I gonna get by
Without the help of the people I know
For better or worse we all come together
And they won t let me die alone

I said now
How am I gonna get by
When I m afraid of the people I know
For better or worse we all come together
And they won t let me die alone
I said they won t let me die alone
I said they won t let me die alone
I said they won t let me die alone
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