

**Criminal**

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Intro: **Cm7** (bass groove)

Passagem cromática chamando a voz: **C B Bb Am7**

Verse:

**Am** **F7**  
Ive been a bad bad girl,  
**Am** **F7**  
Ive been careless with a delicate man.  
**Am** **F7**  
And its a sad sad world,  
**Am**  
When a girl can break a boy  
**F7**  
Just because she can.

Pre-Chorus

**C** **Bb** **F7**  
Dont you tell me to deny it,  
**C**  
Ive done wrong and I want to  
**Bb** **Am**  
Suffer for my sins.  
**C** **Bb**  
Ive come to you cause I need  
**Ab7** **G7**  
Guidance to be true  
**F7** **Ab7**  
And I just dont know where I can begin.

Chorus:

**F7** **Cm**  
What I need is a good defense  
**F7** **Cm**  
cause Im feelin like a criminal.  
**F7**  
And I need to be redeemed  
**Cm** **Bb**  
To the one I sinned against  
**Ab7** **G7** **F7**  
Because he was all I ever knew of love.

Verse: (follows same pattern as first verse)

Heaven help me for the way I am.  
Save me from these evil deeds.  
Before I get them done.  
I know tomorrow brings the consequence  
At hand.  
But I keep livin this day like  
The next will never come.  
Oh, help me, but dont tell me  
To deny it.  
Ive got to cleanse myself.  
Of all these lies till Im good  
Enough for him.  
Ive got a lot to lose and im  
Bettin high  
So Im beggin you before it ends  
Just tell me where to begin.

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**Cm7** (intro groove)

Bridge:

**Eb** **B**  
Let me know the way  
**Ab** **B**  
Before theres hell to pay.  
**Eb** **B** **Ab7**  
Give me room to lay the law and let me go.  
**Eb** **B**  
Ive got to make a play  
**Ab** **B**  
To make my lover stay  
**Eb** **B**  
So, what would an angel say?  
**Ab7**  
cause the devil wants to know.

Chorus: (X2)

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