

**Battles**

**Hudson Taylor**

This song is really easy to play :)  
The strumming pattern is DDUD

NO CAPO!

[Intro]

**Fm C# Fm C#**

[Verse]

**Fm**

I was climbing now I m falling,

**C#**

I ve been pushed off by a man,

**Fm**

**C#**

who has made it to the top and now defends it cos he can,

**Bbm**

**Fm**

and I have found a breach in his front line

**Fm**

I was open now I m hidden,

**C#**

from the danger of his words,

**Fm**

**C#**

I have found a good position and i ll play for what he s worth

**Bbm**

**Fm**

and he will find nowhere left to hide

[Chorus]

**C#**

I will lift her love and I ll break your spirit,

**Fm**

I will dig a hole and I ll throw you in it,

**C#**

**Bbm**

only time will tell if we re all just cynics on the run.

**Fm**

if we re all just cynics come undone.

[Verse]

**Fm**

I was losing now we re drawing

**C#**

and I m not afraid to draw my blood

**Fm** **C#**

I m not backing down so I d surrender cause you should

**Bbm** **Fm**

and face the truth you raise the flag I ll tear it down.

**Fm**

You may have won the battle

**C#**

but i ll take the fight to you

**Fm**

and your flag is on the ground

**C#**

**Bbm**

and your bones they rattle through, as they break you,

**Fm**

your fear has now come true

[Chorus/ Bridge]

**C#**

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**Fm**

I will dig a hole and I ll throw you in it,

**C#**

**Bbm**

only time will tell if we re all just cynics on the run.

**C#**

if we re all just cynics come undone

**Bbm**

All just waiting for the gun,

**C#**

we are tied to the truth,

**Bbm**

the tie that binds me to you

**C#**

I m acting on my words,

**Bbm**

with all that I have heard,

**C#**

with honesty in mind,

you ll find

**Fm**

**C#**

that I m not the liar see the truth in my eyes!

**Fm**

**C#**

No I m not the liar see the truth in my eyes!

[Chorus]

**C#**

I will lift her love and I ll break your spirit,

**Fm**

I will dig a hole and I ll throw you in it,

**C#**

**Bbm**

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(repeat chorus one more time, end on **Fm!**)