

**Tell Me Why**

**John Butler Trio**

On the D Chord hammer on 3 fret of the e string

[Intro]

**C G Em D**  
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[Verse]

**C**  
I got to let it go  
**G Em D**  
I got to give it up  
**C**  
Gonna take a ride  
**G Em D**  
In my pickup truck  
**C**  
Because it s one in five  
**G Em D**  
Maybe one in ten  
**C**  
That you and i are  
**G Em D**  
Gonna get back together again

**C**  
I m gonna roll one up  
**G Em D**  
I m gonna burn one down  
**C**  
Gonna take a left  
**G Em D**  
Into the shady part of town  
**C**  
And jamie on the corner  
**G Em D**  
Gonna hook me up  
**C**  
Ain t nothing i can do  
**G Em G**  
But go and get messed up

[Chorus]

**Am**  
Because tell me why  
**G Em G**  
You and i keep wasting our time  
**Am G**

Ain t no use trying to read

**Em D**

Your goddamn mind

**C Em**

And i can t work it if you

**D**

Can t work it out

**C**

Tell me what it s all about

**G Em D**

Darling, tell me what it s all about

[Verse]

**C**

And now i m broken down

**G Em G**

I got to take it slow

**Am**

Gonna catch a greyhound

**G Em D**

Into chicago

**C**

And the windy little city

**G Em D**

Gonna blow it away

**C G**

All my disillusion and all my pain

**Em D**

All my disillusion and all my pain

[Chorus]

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**G Em D**

Darling, tell me what it s all about

[Pre-Chorus]

**Am Em**

so tangled up in you

**Am G**

I can t separate the two

**D**

Where do i end and you begin

**G**

Where do i end and you begin

**D**

Where do i end and you begin

**G**

Where do i end and you begin

**D**

Where do i end and you begin

[Chorus]

**Am**

Tell me why

**G**

**Em**

**G**

You and i keep wasting our time

**Am**

**G**

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**Em**

**D**

Your goddamn mind

**C**

**Em**

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**D**

Can t work it out

**C**

Tell me what it s all about

[Outrol]

**G**

**Em**

**D**

Darling, tell me what it s all about

**G**

**Em**

**D**

Darling, tell me what it s all about

**G**

**Em**

**D**

Darling, tell me what it s all about

**G**

**Em**

**D**

Darling, tell me what it s all about