

**The Average**

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[Verse]

**E** **A**  
No one told me I would suffer  
**C#m** **A**  
No one told me I would grieve  
**E** **A**  
They told me to live the way you want to  
**C#m** **A**  
You still inherit eternity

[Chorus]

**C#m**  
Swept away in the dead of a winter  
**A**  
Is only when I cry out for my lover  
**E** **B**  
Then I ll move along, I ll move along  
**C#m**  
Summer comes and I look to no one  
**A**  
Till the leaves start changing colour  
**E** **B**  
Then I ll pray it alone, I ll pray it alone

[Verse 2]

**E** **A**  
Now there are moments when I am faithful  
**C#m** **A**  
But I do it for worldly gain  
**E** **A**  
And if it doesn't come, I will see then  
**C#m** **A**  
Run to wrong myself self-restraint, yeah

[Chorus]

**C#m**  
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**A**  
Is only when I cry out for my lover  
**E** **B**  
Then I ll move along, I ll move along  
**C#m**  
Summer comes and I look to no one  
**A**  
Till the leaves start changing colour

**E**

**B**

Then I ll pray it alone, I ll pray it alone