

The Center
Matthew West

Matthew West - The Center
Tuning: Standard

Note: Throughout song, E can be played before Am as a general V/V rule. ex. In chorus, E can be played after G, but is not in the recording.

Intro: **Am F C G E**

Am

I got a feeling as a matter of fact

F

It s like my whole world just came under attack

G

And I hear a voice tellin me to turn back

E

â€™Cause I must be onto somethin

Am

It happens every single time I get close to

F

Everything I know is good and right and so true

G

It s like somebody doesn t want me to love You

E

And I must be onto somethin

F

C

So help me hold on

G

Help me be strong

E

â€™Cause I don t wanna move unless You move me

Chorus:

Am

F

I wanna know how it feels to be

C

G

(**E**)

Standing in the center of Your will for me

Am

F

I wanna know what surrender means

C

G

(**E**)

Keep me in the center of Your will for me

Am C

G E

Keep me in the center

Am

God forbid I start to think I m on a roll now

F
â€™Cause I do believe there is a battle for my soul now

G
And I can feel the world fighting for control now

E
I must be onto somethin

Am
So help me hold on just a little bit longer

F
â€™Cause all this struggle s gonna do is make me stronger

G
This is the everyday prayer of my heart

E
I just wanna stay where You are

Chorus

Inst: **F C E Am** 2x

F **C**
Lord, help me hold on

G
Help me be strong

E
I don t wanna move unless You move me

Am F C G
Yeah, yeah, oh

Chorus

Continue **Am F C G (E)**

End on **Am**

Keep me in the center
I wanna know
I surrender, I surrender
I wanna know
You gotta help me, Lord, oh

Help me hold on

Help me hold on