

**I Need To Wake Up**  
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**C#**  
Have i been sleeping?

**B**  
I ve been so still

**F#**  
Afraid of crumbling

**C#**  
Have i been careless?

**B** **F#**  
Dismissing all the distant rumblings

**B**  
Take me where i am supposed to be

**G#m**  
To comprehend the things that i can t see

**F#**  
Cause i need to move

**C#**  
I need to wake up

**G#m**  
I need to change

**B**  
I need to shake up

**F#**  
I need to speak out

**C#**  
Something s got to break up

**G#m**  
I ve been asleep

**B** **C#**  
And i need to wake up

**D#m**  
Now

**F#** **C#**  
And as a child

**B** **F#**  
I danced like it was 1999

**C#**  
My dreams were wild

**B**  
The promise of this new world

**F#**  
Would be mine

**B**  
Now i am throwing off the carelessness of youth

**G#m**

To listen to an inconvenient truth

That i need to move **F#**  
I need to wake up **C#**  
I need to change **G#m**  
I need to shake up **B**  
I need to speak out **F#**  
Something s got to break up **C#**  
I ve been asleep **G#m**  
And i need to wake up **B C#**  
**D#m**  
Now

**C# C#**  
I am not an island **B**  
I am not alone **C#**  
I am my intentions **B B**  
Trapped here in this flesh and bone

And i need to move **F#**  
I need to wake up **C#**  
I need to change **G#m**  
I need to shake up **B**  
I need to speak out **F#**  
Something s got to break up **C#**  
I ve been asleep **G#m**  
And i need to wake up **B B**  
**F# C#**  
Now

**G#m**

I want to change

**B**

I need to shake up

**F#**

I need to speak out

**C#**

Oh, something's got to break up

**G#m**

I've been asleep

**B**

**C#**

And I need to wake up? Now