

Against The Grain
Write It On Your Skin (2012)
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INTRO:

Emaj7 - A/F# - E - E (x2)

VERSE 1:

Emaj7 A/F# E E
I have tried but it s hard to fight it
Emaj7 A/F# E E
I can t just watch as it falls apart
Emaj7 A/F# E E
If we could break the mould, make it in from the cold
Emaj7 A/F# E E
Lose your mind, never lose your heart

PRE-CHORUS 1:

C#
I don t mind working hard for it
E
I ll bend the hands til the space appears
C#
I ll move the pieces until we all fit
E Abm11 E/G#
From near to far and from far to near

CHORUS 1:

Asus2 E
And I know that I m going against the grain
Abm11 E/G# Asus2
And I know this makes no sense
Asus2 E Abm11 E/G# Asus2
The changes I ve tried to make, they make no differ - ence
Asus2 E C#
But I know that I ll try again, although it s so hard
E Asus2
Hard, hard

TRANSITION:

Emaj7 - A/F# - E - E (x2)

VERSE 2:

Emaj7 A/F# E E

Given time it ll finally focus

Emaj7 A/F# E E

And in a moment that s been and gone

Emaj7 A/F# E E

And in the afterglow, from my head to my soul

Emaj7 A/F# E E

I can see all I have ignored

PRE-CHORUS 2:

C#

And I don t mind working hard for it

E

I ll bend the hands til the space appears

C#

I ll move the pieces until we all fit

E

Abm11

E/G#

From near to far and from far to near

CHORUS 2:

Asus2

E

And I know that I m going against the grain

Abm11

E/G#

Asus2

And I know this makes no sense

Asus2

E

Abm11

E/G#

Asus2

The changes I ve tried to make, they make no differ - ence

Asus2

E

C#

But I know that I ll try again, although it s so hard

E Asus2

Hard, hard

TRANSITION:

Emaj7 - A/F# - E - E (x2)

BRIDGE:

B7/F#

Eadd9

If life s so short then we re wasting time

B/Eb

Eadd9

Love is the last thing on our minds

B7/F#

Eadd9

B/Eb

B/Eb

It s so simple but so hard to see

Bsus4

C#m7

And you are not alone in this

G#

A9

Sense of loss and loneliness

B7/F#

Eadd9

B/Eb

B/Eb

Take your shoes off, run towards the sea

CHORUS 3:

Asus2 **E**
 And I know that I m going against the grain
 Abm11 **E/G#** **Asus2**
 And I know this makes no sense
Asus2 **E** Abm11 **E/G#** **Asus2**
 The changes I ve tried to make, they make no differ - ence
Asus2 **E** **C#**
 But I know that I ll try again, although it s so hard
E **Asus2**
 Hard, hard

TRANSITION:

Ema j7 - A/F# - E - E (x2)

OUTRO:

E/G# **Gm6** **E**
 I know the sun will keep on shining down
Gm6 **E**
 As long as you re around

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