

Why Am I Like This

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Tuning: Drop D

[Note]

Picking pattern is played in the verses, pre-chorus and outro.

In the chorus mainly play the bass notes on the low D string hit the A string in between.

When playing only chords mainly hit the lower strings for the best sound! :)

The strumming for the chorus should all be played muted, but as there s no way to represent a strum which

is both muted and accented, the heavier strums have been left unmuted to show the contrast.

Dadd4 05403x
Gmaj7 55403x
Em 22200x
Bm x24432
A x02220
G5 5x0030

[Picking Pattern]

Dadd4

e	----- ----- -----
B	----- ----- -----
G	-----0----- -----0-----
D	-----4-----4----- -----4-----4-----
A	-----5-----5----- -----5-----5-----
D	--0-----0-----0-----0----- --0-----0-----0-----0-----

Gmaj7

Em(add9)

e	----- ----- -----
B	----- ----- -----
G	-----0----- -----0-----
D	-----4-----4----- -----4-----4-----
A	-----x-----x----- -----x-----x-----
D	--5-----5-----5-----5----- --2-----2-----2-----2-----

[Verse 1]

Dadd4

Last night I smoked a cigarette

Gmaj7 **Em**

My dad would have been so upset

Dadd4

Then we got tattoos by the coast

Gmaj7 **Em**

And I stood there just like a ghost

[Pre-Chorus]

Dadd4

Maybe Iâ€™m an old soul trapped in a young body

Gmaj7

Em

Maybe you donâ€™t really want me there at your birthday party

Dadd4

Iâ€™ll be there in the corner, thinking right over

Gmaj7

Em

Every single word of the conversation we just had

[Chorus]

Dadd4

So why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Gmaj7

Em

Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Dadd4

Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Gmaj7

Em

why am I like this?

[Verse 2]

Dadd4

I saw a girl crying on the train

Gmaj7

Em

Gin and tonic from a can to ease the pain

Dadd4

I never asked if she was OK

Gmaj7

Em

She just got up and walked away

[Bridge]

Bm

A

Em

It s like I m looking down from the ceiling above

G5

Never in the moment, never giving enough

Bm

A

Em

Letâ€™s go out and shout the words we never said

G5

I got my mistakes on loop inside my head, inside my head

[Chorus]

Dadd4

So why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Gmaj7

Em

Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Dadd4

Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Gmaj7

Em

why am I like this?

Dadd4

So why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Gmaj7

Em

Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...

Dadd4

Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I like this? Why am I...
Gmaj7 **Em**
why am I like this?

[Outro]

Dadd4
Maybe Iâ€™m an old soul trapped in a young body
Gmaj7 **Em**
Maybe you donâ€™t really want me there...
Dadd4
Iâ€™ll be there in the corner, thinking right over
Gmaj7 **Em**
Every single word of the conversation we just had

| x Mute note
