

**Misunderstood**  
**Pete Townshend**

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Misunderstood | guitar tab

By Pete Townshend

>From Rough Mix, 1977

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**D7** xx0575  
**G/D** xx0787  
**C7/D** xx0353

||:E5 B5 |A5 B5 :||

Just wanna be misunderstood  
Wanna be feared in my neighborhood  
Just wanna be a moody man  
Say things that nobody can understand

**D7**

**G/D**

I wanna be obscure and oblique

**C7/D**

Inscrutable and vague

**D**

So hard to pin down

**D7**

**G/D**

I wanna leave open mouths when I speak

**C7/D**

**B5**

Want people to cry when I put them down

I wanna be either old or young  
Don t like where I ve ended up or where I begun  
I always feel I must get things in the can  
I just can t handle it the way I am

Why am I so straight and simple  
People see through me like I m made of glass  
Why can t I deepen with graying temples  
Am I growing out of my class

[harp solo]

||:B5 B5 (F# A Bb) :||

I always feel I should be somewhere else  
I feel impatient like a girl on the shelf  
They say that I should live sera sera  
But I am such an ordinary star

||:F# C# | B C# :||

F# C# B C#  
Coolwalkingsmoothtalkingstraightsmokingfirestoking

F# C# B  
Coolwalkingsmoothtalking, yeah

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