

**Still Fighting The War**  
**Slaid Cleaves**

**Cadd9**

**G**

Hard times comin home now

**Cadd9**

**G**

Can t get your feet on the ground

**Cadd9**

**G**

**G/F#**

**Em**

**D**

Thoughts and issues and no one wants you around

**Cadd9**

**G**

**Am**

**C/B**

**C**

Barely sleepin and you can t get through to the VA on the phone

**Cadd9**

**G**

**G/F#**

**Em**

**D**

No one is hiring and no one wants to give you a loan

**Cadd9**

**D**

**G**

**G/F#**

**Em**

And everyone else is carryin on just like they ve always done before

**Cadd9**

**D**

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**G**

You ve been home for a couple a years now buddy but you re still fightin the war

Flashback to Falluja

Lost another best friend

Three tours of duty and you re wondering when it s all gonna end

Bodies broken and bones shattered

Blood and dust in your mouth

Gettin weary but you re runnin with the few and the proud

Sometimes you wonder why you went, You never wondered what you stayed on for

You ve been home for a couple a years now buddy but you re still fightin the war

(Bridge)

**Cadd9**

**G**

Men go off to war for a hundred reasons

**Am**

**C/B**

**C**

But they all come home with the same demons

**Cadd9**

**D**

**G**

**G/F#**

**Em**

Some you can keep at bay for awhile, some will pin you to the floor

**Cadd9**

**D**

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**G**

You ve been home for a couple of years now buddy but you re still fightin the war

The bedspread is frayin

Faded and tearin apart

Two strangers holdin each other in the dark

Tell me, what were you dreamin? How did you think it would end?

How many heroes are scattered out into the wind?

And all the happily ever afters turn to broken dishes and slammin doors

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