

**Next To Me**  
**Sleeping at Last**

Next To Me  
Capo 7

C  
C Em F C  
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C Em  
Oh, our futures were written with crayons in coloring books  
F C  
It was misspelled and outside the lines and we loved how it looked  
C Em  
Like the crooked hem of your favorite childhood dress  
F C  
And the holes in my jeans from years of carelessness  
F Am  
I know since we've grown, we ache for those memories  
F C Em C  
Honestly, nothing's even compared to you next to me, next to me

C Em  
When the words came to you for the first time, you knew you were hooked  
F C  
And the pride that you felt at the last page of your first book  
C Em  
And the bravery I forced when I sang to an audience of three  
F C  
Well, it took a million wrong notes just to find a single melody and key  
F Am  
I know since we've grown we plea for clarity  
F C Em  
Honestly, nothing's ever made sense til you were next to me, next to me

(On Piano\* But Chords Written for Guitar with Capo)

F Dm C Em  
If time is money, then I'll spend it all for you  
F Dm C Em  
I will buy you flowers with the minutes we outgrew  
F Dm C Em  
I'll turn hours into gardens, planted just for us to take  
F Dm C  
I'll be reckless with my days, building castles in your name

F Am  
Since we've grown, we long for concrete things  
F C Em

Honestly, nothing s felt so sure than when you were next to me, next to me

**C Em F C**

**C** So lets cut down the red tape and gather up the pieces of our youth **Em**

**F**  
Cause there s nothing in this world we can t fix with some scissors and glue

\*Piano Chords

**C Am G Bm**