

**Please Pardon Yourself**  
**The Avett Brothers**

capo 2

**G** **C** **G**  
as I turned my head to your side of the bed...

**G** **C** **G**  
why are you awake? What's on your mind

**G** **C** **G**  
to this awful news try not to hold on

**G** **C** **G**  
the day will come the sun will rise and we ll be fine

**G** **C** **G**  
As long as I feel as strong as I feel

**G** **C** **G**  
I will carry you as long as I can

**G** **C** **G**  
As hard on yourself, please pardon yourself

**G** **C** **G**  
Do the best you can and that won t go unseen

**G** **C**  
How do I know when its time to stop

**D**  
Runnin from the things I do, Bein things I m not

**C** **G**  
Oh I have tried, but I just changed my mind

**D** **C** **G**  
Every night befalls every morning light

**G** **C**  
How do I know that you will never stop

**D**  
Knowing me and trusting me, loving me alot

**C** **G**  
Oh I have tried, but I just changed my mind

**D** **C** **G**  
Every night befalls every morning light

**G** **C** **G**  
Well there s only so many ways

**G** **C** **G**  
You can give your loving to me

**D** **C** **G**  
But I d give my soul for just one of them now

**D** **C** **G**  
I d give up the drinkin , just tell me how

(Repeat chords from last 4 lines)  
And there s only so many years  
I can give my love to you  
And I spent the last one hidden away  
Screaming my lungs out, nothing to say

(repeat first verse)

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