

## Drop Off

### The Tragically Hip

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NOTE The formatting for UG sucks when you paste from Microsoft Word so all the chords

not be in the exact places...but they are close. Listen to the song for the timing. Also,

main riff may be hard to keep up for the whole song so you may just want to strum

the **F#** to **A** and **B**

to D parts for the verses.

#### Riff A

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e|-----|
B|-----|
G|-----|
D|-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-7-|
A|-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-7-|
E|-0-2-2-0-2-2-0-2-2-0-5-|
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#### Riff B

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e|-----|
B|-----|
G|-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-7-|
D|-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-4-7-|
A|-0-2-2-0-2-2-0-2-2-0-5-|
E|-----|
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Intro: Riff **A** x4

#### Verse 1

Riff **A** x4

When the summer is young  
and nobody has their prices

Riff **B** x2

No one is no one

Riff **A** x2

and nobody in a crisis

#### Chorus

**D5**                    **A5**                    **F#5**  
Thereâ€™s no swimming past the drop-off

**D5**                    **A5**                    **F#5**  
or feeling sorry for yourself

**D5**                    **A5**                    **F#5**  
Ya donâ€™t go swimming past the drop-off

**D5 A5** Riff **A**x4  
or else

#### Verse 2

Yer a pistol, yer a gun  
and suddenly I have no prices  
Iâ€™m like a friend of Dylanâ€™s  
our shovels meeting in some crisis

### Chorus

**D5** **A5** **F#5**  
But thereâ€™s no swimming past the drop-off  
**D5** **A5** **F#5**  
Yea we donâ€™t replace ourselves  
**D5** **A5** **F#5**  
Ya donâ€™t go swimming past the drop-off  
**D5** **E5**  
or else

### Bridge 1

**E5** **E5** **E5** **E5 D5**  
The fates are amok and spun, measured and cut and the past is meant to please us  
**E5** **E5** **E5** **E5** **D5**  
Yer a comet from earth in a Kiss Alive shirt saying, â€˜holy fuck, itâ€™s  
jesus!â€™  
**E5** **E5** **E5** **E5** **D5**  
The surface is green and the dark interweaves in a lonely iridescence  
**E5** **E5** **E5** **E5** **D5** **A5**  
Itâ€™s terribly deep and the cold is complete and it only lacks a presence  
Riff **A** x4  
and nothing else.

### Verse 3

When the summer is done  
and nobody sympathizes  
Yer no friend of Dylanâ€™s  
Yea, you wonâ€™t see another crisis

### Chorus

Thereâ€™s no swimming past the drop-off  
or feeling sorry for ourselves  
Ya donâ€™t go swimming past the drop-off  
or else

### Bridge 2

Personal stakes will get raised and get raised til your story gets compelling  
If you lacked the sense or were willfully dense is forever in the telling  
The surface is green and the dark interweaves in a lonely iridescence  
**E5** **E5** **E5** **E5** **D5** **A5**  
Itâ€™s terribly deep and the cold is complete and it only lacks a presence  
**C5**  
and nothing else.  
**D5**  
nothing else  
**E5**  
nothing else  
Riff **A** x4  
and no one else.

Enjoy!