

Mother
Travis

Hello. Can t believe I finally get the chance to write the this is my first tab...
speech after reading it so many times. So, well... I m sorry I don t know the real names to those chords. It s probably a bit off but since there isn t a tab yet for that song I guess that will do until you post a better version ;) This was based on the acoustic version of Travis s song Mother which is on ther latest record Where You Stand . It s amazing so if you haven t bought it yet you should definitely do so.

Standard tuning - no capo.

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A D D* E E*

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Intro :

A - D - D* 4x

A D D* A D D*

Mother take that ride
You got in my mind
Tell em what you found
Write it down

A D E E*
Lo-----ve

A D E E*
Lo-----ve

Solo :

A - D - D* 4x

A D D*

What you have is enough

A D D*

What you want with so much stuff

A D D*

What you need is a hug

A D

From a passenger you love

A D E E*

One you love

One you love

One you love

One you love

A

Write a book

D D*

Change your name

A D D*

Run a thousand miles away

A

Bite the hook

D D*

Change your game

A D

In the end it s all the same

E D

Happy ever after

E D

Dancing with disaster

E D E(hold)

Hold me close and listen to the song

D A

Why did we wait so long?

E D A

Oh, why did we wait so long?

Mini *Instrumental* : A

A

Once upon a cold and starless night

D*

Saw a vision or a trick of light

E E*

We know there s nothing wrong

E E*

Days are short, nights are long

E D E

Answer me this question then I m gone

E D A
Oh, why did we wait so long?
Oh, why did we wait so long?

Instrumental : A - A - A - D - E -
E* - E - E* - A - E

Piano part (play each note as an octave, 3 times) :
C# - B - A - G# - C# (an octave lower)
C# - B - A - G# - C# (2 times then F#
1 time)
G# - A - G# - A (2 measures of each note/octave)
C# - B - A - G# - C#

E D A
Oh, why did we wait so long?
E D A
Oh, why did we wait so long?
E(hold) D A(hold)
Oh, why did we wait so long?