

Why Does This Always Happen To Me  
Weird Al Yankovic

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
I was watching my TV one night when they broke in with a special report

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
About some devastatating earthquake in Peru

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
There were thirty thousand crushed to death, even more were buried alive

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
On the Richter scale it measured 8.2

**D** **E** **A**  
And I said, God, please answer me one question?

**D** **C** **D** **A**  
Why d they have to interrupt The Simpsons just for this?

**C** **D** **A** **C** **D** **A**  
What a drag, cause I was taping it and everything

**D** **A** **E**  
And now I ll have to wait for the rerun to see the part of the show I missed

chorus:

**D** **A**  
Why does this always happen?

**C** **G**  
Why does this always happen to me?

**D** **A**  
Why does this always happen?

**C** **G**  
(Why) Why does this always happen to me?

**D** **A**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**C** **G**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
I was driving down the highway when all the traffic slowed to a crawl

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
There was a twelve-car pile-up, everybody dead

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
And I saw brains and guts and vital organs splattered everywhere

**F#m** **E** **D** **A**  
As well as my friend Robert s disembodied head

**D** **E** **A**  
And I thought - Poor Rob, I just had lunch with him

**D** **C** **D** **A**  
Hey, wait a minute, he still owes me money - what a jerk

**C** **D** **A** **C** **D** **A**

Well, there s five bucks that I m never gonna see again

**D**

**A**

**E**

Plus now, on top of everything else, it looks like I m gonna be late to work

chorus:

**D**

**A**

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**C**

**G**

Why does this always happen to me?

**D**

**A**

Why does this always happen?

**C**

**G**

(Why) Why does this always happen to me?

**D**

**A**

Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**C**

**G**

Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**B**

Ba ba ba ba, ba ba

**F#m**

**E**

**D**

**A**

Oh, the other day, my boss said we were running low on toner

**F#m**

**E**

**D**

**A**

And he told me I should buy another case

**F#m**

**E**

**D**

**A**

Well, I told him I was busy, but he still just kept on asking

**F#m**

**E**

**D**

**A**

So, I turned around and stabbed him in the face (right in the face)

**D**

**E**

**A**

Oh, and wouldn t you know it, my knife got stuck

**D**

**C**

**D**

**A**

I guess that s probably bound to happen now and then

**C D A**

**C**

**D**

**A**

But I m afraid I may have bent the tip a little

**D**

**A**

**E**

And I know that blade will never ever be quite as sharp again (quite as sharp again)

Oh, tell me

**D**

**A**

Why does this always happen?

**C**

**G**

Why does this always happen to me?

**D**

**A**

Why does this always happen?

**C**

**G**

(Why) Why does this always happen to me?

**D**

**A**

Why does this always happen?

**C** **G**  
Why does this always happen to me?

**D** **A**  
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Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**C** **G**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**D** **A**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**C** **G**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**D** **A**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**C** **G**  
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**D** **A**  
Ba ba ba ba, ba ba ba ba ba

**C** **G**  
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