



Hard to say I'm sorry SSAATB

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Hard to Say I'm Sorry

Words and Music by David Foster and Peter Cetera

Arranged by Dirk Kokx

Original Key E major

Intro Steady, with an inner drive

Verse 1 *mf*

E - very - bo - dy needs a li - ttle time a - way

Chords: G C/e D/f# B/d# E_m A/c# D_{SUS4} D G

Instrumentation: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, C Instr., Piano Adv., Synthesizer (Strings), Guitar, Bass Guitar, Drum Set

Dynamic markings: *mf*, *mp*

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB Combo C

Verse 2

24

S: ...and done. You're just a part of me. I can't let go. Could-n't stand to be kept a-way just for the day from your bo - dy.

A: ...and done. You're just a part of me. I can't let go. Could-n't stand to be kept a-way just for the day from your bo - dy.

T: ...and done. You're just a part of me. I can't let go. Could-n't stand to be kept a-way just for the day from your bo - dy.

B: ...done. You're just a part of me. I can't let go. Could-n't stand to be kept a-way just for the day from your bo - dy.

C: D/f# B/d# Em A/C# Dsus4 D Dsus4 D G Bm7 C C D Em D

P.A.

Synth

Gtr. 24 Chorus - Delay / fingerpicking

Bass

D. S. mf

32

S: Would-n't want to be swept a-way, far a-way from the one that I love. Hold me now. It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry. I just want you to know.

A: Would-n't want to be swept a-way, far a-way from the one that I love. Hold me now. It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry. I just want you to know.

T: Would-n't want to be swept a-way, Far from the one that I love. Hold me now. It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry. I just want you to know.

B: Would-n't want to be swept a-way, Far from the one that I love. Hold me now. It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry. I just want you to know.

C: Shaker G Bm7 C C D Em D Em Am Dsus4 D7 G Em Am7

P.A.

Synth

Gtr. 32

Bass

D. S.

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 5

SATB Combo C

Chorus 3

52

f

S Af - ter all ... that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

A Af - ter all ... that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

T Af - ter all ... that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

B Af - ter all ... that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

C

P.A. *f* B^b E^b/g F/a D/f[#] G_m C/e F_{sus4} F_{sus4}/g F/a B^b E^b/g F/a D/f[#] G_m C/e

Synth

Gtr. 52 *f* Distortion *ff*

Bass *f*

D. S. *f*

Coda

59

S You are gon-na be the lu - cky one oo

A oo oo

T doo doo doo doo oo doo doo doo doo doo

B doo doo doo doo oo doo doo doo doo doo

C *f*

P.A. F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a B^b E^b/g F/a D/f[#] G_m C/e F^b/e D_{7sus4} D G_{add2} *mf* *f*

Synth

Gtr. 59 *f*

Bass

D. S.

SATB Combo Bb

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Verse 1 *mf*

E - very - bo - dy needs a li - ttle time a - way

Chords: G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# Dsus4 D G G

Instrumentation: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, Bb Instr., Piano Adv., Strings, Synthesizer, Guitar, Bass Guitar, Drum Set

Dynamic markings: *mf*, *mp*

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB Combo Bb

Verse 2

24

S ...and done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

A ...and done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

T ...and done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go... Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

B ...done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go... Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

Bb

P.A. D/f# B/d# Em A/C# D sus4 D D sus4 D G Bm7 C C D Em D

Synth

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Bass

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T Would-n't want to be swept a-way, Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

B Would-n't want to be swept a-way, Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

Bb Shaker G Bm7 C C D Em D Em Am D sus4 D7 G Em Am7

P.A.

Synth

Gtr. 32

Bass

D. S.

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SATB Combo Bb

Chorus 3

52

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B *f* Af - ter all _ that we've _ been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

Bb

P.A. *f* B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e F $\text{sus}4$ F $\text{sus}4$ /g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e

Synth

Gtr. 52 *f* Distortion *ff*

Bass *f*

D. S. *f*

Coda

59

S You are gon-na be _ the lu - cky one _ oo

A oo

T 8 doo doo _ doo doo _ oo doo doo doo doo doo

B doo doo _ doo doo _ oo doo doo doo doo doo

Bb

P.A. F $\text{sus}4$ F F $\text{sus}4$ /g F/a B $\flat$ *f* E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e F $\flat$ /e D $\text{sus}4$ D Gadd2 *mf*

Synth

Gtr. 59 *f*

Bass

D. S.

SATB Combo Eb

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Intro Steady, with an inner drive

Verse 1 *mf*

E - very - bo - dy needs a li - ttle time a - way

mf

G C/e D/f# B/d# E_m A/C# D_{sus4} D G G

mf

Strings *mp*

mf

Drum Set

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB Combo Eb

Verse 2

24

S: ...and done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go... Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

A: ...and done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go... Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

T: ...and done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go... Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

B: ...done... You're just... a part... of me I can't... let go... Could-n't stand to be kept a-way... just for the day... from your bo - dy.

Eb: D/f# B/d# Em A/C# Dsus4 D Dsus4 D G Bm7 C C D Em D

P.A.

Synth

Gtr. 24 Chorus - Delay / fingerpicking

Bass

D. S.

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B: Would-n't want to be swept a-way, Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

Eb: Shaker

P.A. G Bm7 C C D Em D Em Am Dsus4 D7 G Em Am7

Synth

Gtr. 32

Bass

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Chorus 3

52

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T *f* Af - ter all _ that we've _ been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

B *f* Af - ter all _ that we've _ been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

Eb

P.A. *f* B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e F sus^4 F sus^4 /g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e

Synth

Gtr. 52 *f* Distortion *ff*

Bass *f*

D. S. *f*

Coda

59

S You are gon-na be _ the lu - cky one _ oo

A oo oo

T doo doo _ doo doo _ oo doo doo doo doo doo

B doo doo _ doo doo _ oo doo doo doo doo doo

Eb *f*

P.A. F sus^4 F F sus^4 /g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e F $\flat$ /e D sus^4 D Gadd2 *mf*

Synth

Gtr. 59 *f*

Bass

D. S.

SATB 4 extra staves

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Intro Steady, with an inner drive

Vers 1 *mf*

E-very-bod-dy needs a li-ttle time a-way — I've heard you say — from each ot her E-ven lo-vers need a ho-li-day —

mf from each ot her *mf* from each ot her *mf* from each ot her

1 2 3 4

G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# Dsus4 D G G Bm7 C C D Em D G Bm7

Piano Adv. *mf*

Strings *mp*

Synthesizer *mp*

Guitar *mf*

Bass Guitar *mf*

Drum Set

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB 4 extra staves

Verse 2

22

S - mise to. And after all that's been said — and done — You're just — a part — of me I can't — let go

A - mise to, yes I do. all that's been said — and done — You're just — a part — of me I can't — let go

T - mise to, yes I do. all that's been said — and done — You're just — a part — of me I can't — let go

B - mise to, yes I do. all that's been said — and done — You're just — a part — of me I can't — let go

1

2

3

4

D sus4 B sus4 D/F# G C/e D/F# B/d# Em A/C# D sus4 D D sus4 D G Bm7 C C D Em D

Synth

22

8

Chorus - Delay / fingerpicking

Bass

D. S.

mf

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 5
SATB 4 extra staves

Chorus 2

4/4

S
real-ly want to tell you I'm sor - ry
I could ne-ver let you go
Af-ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. And af-ter all that's been said

A
real-ly want to tell you I'm sor - ry
I could ne-ver let you go —
Af-ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to, yes I do. all that's been said

T
real-ly want to tell you I'm sor - ry
I could ne-ver let you go
Af-ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to, yes I do. all that's been said

B
—
I real-ly want to tell I could ne-ver let you go
Af-ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to, yes I do. all that's been said

1
2
3
4

D_{sus4} D₇ G Em Am₇ D_{7sus4} D G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# D_{sus4} D_{sus4}/B/f# G C/e

P.A.
D_{sus4} D₇ G Em Am₇ D_{7sus4} D G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# D_{sus4} D_{sus4}/B/f# G C/e

Synth
4/4
8

Chr.
4/4
8

Bass
4/4
8
small fill - - - - -

D.S.
4/4
8

SÄTB 4 extra staves

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Intro Steady, with an inner drive

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano Adv. *mf*

Guitar

Bass Guitar *mf*

Drum Set

G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# D_{sus4} D G

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB small Combo

Chorus 1

18

S Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

A Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I

T Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I

B Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I

P.A. D_{7sus4} D G C/e $D/f\sharp$ $B/d\sharp$ E_m $A/c\sharp$ D_{sus4} D_{sus4} $D/e\sharp$

Gtr. 18

Bass

D. S.

23

S And af - ter all that's been said and done You're just a part of me I can't let go

A do. all that's been said and done You're just a part of me I can't let go

T do. all that's been said and done You're just a part of me I can't let go

B do. all that's been said and done You're just a part of me I can't let go

P.A. G C/e $D/f\sharp$ $B/d\sharp$ E_m $A/c\sharp$ D_{sus4} D D_{sus4} D

Gtr. 23

Bass

D. S.

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 5

SATB small Combo

38 oo ba - by

S I just want you to know Hold me now I real-ly want to tell you I'm sor - ry

A I just want you to know Hold me now I real-ly want to tell you I'm sor - ry

T I just want you to know Hold me now I real-ly want to tell you I'm sor - ry

B I just want you to know Hold me Just hold me now. I real-ly want to

Em Am7 D7sus4 D Em Am Dsus4 D7 G

P.A.

Gtr.

Bass

D. S.

Chorus 2

42

S I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro -

A I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro -

T I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro -

B tell I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all that we've been through I will make it up to you I pro -

Em Am7 D7sus4 D G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C#

P.A.

Gtr.

Bass

D. S. small fill - - - -

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 7

SATB small Combo

Coda

57

S You are gon-na be the lu -

A oo

T doo doo doo doo oo

B doo doo doo doo oo

F/a D/f# Gm C/e F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f#

P.A.

Gtr. 57 8 3 f

Bass

D. S.

62

S - cky one oo

A oo

T doo doo doo doo doo

B doo doo doo doo doo

Gm C/e F 9 /e $\flat$ D 7 _{sus4} D G $^{\text{add}2}$

P.A. mf 3

Gtr. 62 8

Bass

D. S.

SATB small Combo extra staves

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Original Key E major

Intro
Steady, with an inner drive

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

Verse 1
mf
E-very-bo-dy needs a li-ttle time a-way — I've heard you say —
from each ot - her
from each ot - her

Piano Adv.
mf
G C/e D/f# B/d# E_m A/c# D_{sust} D G G B_{m7} C C D E_m D

Guitar
Bass Guitar
Drum Set

1
2

Chorus 1

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3
SATB small Combo extra staves

18

S — Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. And af - ter all that's been said

A — Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I do. all that's been said

T — Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I do. all that's been said

B — Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I do. all that's been said

1

2

P.A. D_{7sus4} D G C/e $D/f\sharp$ $B/d\sharp$ E_m $A/c\sharp$ D_{sus4} $D_{7sus4}^D B/f\sharp$ G C/e

Gtr. $1/8$

Bass 8

D. S.

30

S — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,— far a-way from the one that I love Hold me now It's

A — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,— far a-way from the one that I love Hold me now It's

T — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,— Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's

B — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,— Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's

1

2

C C D Em D G Bm7 C C D Em D Em Am

Gtr. 30

Bass 8

D. S.

Chorus 2

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 7
SATB small Combo extra staves

42

S I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

A I could ne-ver let you go — Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I

T I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I

B tell I could ne-ver let you go Af - ter all — that we've been through — I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. yes I

1

2

P.A. Em Am7 D7sus4 D G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/c# Dsus4 D7sus4 B/f#

Gtr. 42 8

Bass small fill ----- 1

D. S.

54

S
to you I pro - mise to.

A
to you I pro - mise to.

T
to you I pro - mise to.

B
to you I pro - mise to.

1
2

Gm C/e F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a B_b E^b/g F/a D/[#] Gm C/e F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a

54
8

Gtr.
8

Bass

D. S.

ff

3

3

do doo — doo

do doo — doo

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Intro

Steady, with an inner drive

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano Adv.

G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# D^{sus4} D G

mf

Verse 1

S

A

T

B

P.A.

mf

E-very-bo-dy needs a li-ttle time a-way — I've heard you say — from each ot - her E-ven lo-vers need a ho-li-day

mf

from each ot - her oo

mf

from each ot - her oo

mf

from each ot - her oo

G Bm7 C C D Em D G

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB Piano advanced

Verse 2

28

S
A
T
B
P.A

Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,

Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,

Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,

Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy. Would-n't want to be swept a-way,

G Bm7 C C D Em D G

S
A
T
B
P.A

— far a-way from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

— far a-way from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

— Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

— Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

Bm7 C C D Em D Em Am Dsus4 D7 G Em Am7

S
A
T
B
P.A

39 — oo — ba-by

Hold me now — I real-ly want to tell you I'm sor-ry I could ne-ver let you go

Hold me now — I real-ly want to tell you I'm sor-ry I could ne-ver let you go

Hold me now — I real-ly want to tell you I'm sor-ry I could ne-ver let you go

Hold me Just hold me now. — I real-ly want to tell I could ne-ver let you go

D7sus4 D Em Am Dsus4 D7 G Em Am7 D7sus4 D

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 5

SATB Piano advanced

Coda

56

S

A

T

B

P.A

You are gon-na be__ the lu -

oo

doo doo doo doo oo

B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ Gm C/e F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$

62

S

A

T

B

P.A

- cky one oo

oo

doo doo doo doo doo

doo doo doo doo doo

Gm C/e F $\sharp$ /e $\flat$ D $\flat$ _{7sus4} D G $\sharp$ add2

mf 3

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Intro
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Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano Mod.

G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/C# D^{sus4} D G

Verse 1

S

A

T

B

P. M.

E-very-bo-dy needs a li-ttle time a-way ___ I've heard you say ___ from each ot - her E-ven lo-vers need a ho-li-day

from each ot - her oo

from each ot - her oo

from each ot - her oo

oo

G Bm7 C C D Em D G

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 3

SATB Piano moderated

Verse 2

27

S Could-n't stand to be kept a - way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

A Could-n't stand to be kept a - way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

T 8 Could-n't stand to be kept a - way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

B Could-n't stand to be kept a - way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

P. M D^{sus4} D G Bm7 C C D E_m D

32

S Would-n't want to be swept a - way, — far a - way from the one that I love Hold me now It's

A Would-n't want to be swept a - way, — far a - way from the one that I love Hold me now It's

T 8 Would-n't want to be swept a - way, — Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's

B Would-n't want to be swept a - way, — Far from the one that I love Hold me now It's

P. M G Bm7 C C D E_m D E_m A_m

37

S oo — ba-by
hard for me to say I'm sor - ry I just want you to know Hold me now I

A hard for me to say I'm sor - ry I just want you to know Hold me now I

T 8 hard for me to say I'm sor - ry I just want you to know Hold me now I

B hard for me to say I'm sor - ry I just want you to know Hold me Just hold me now.

P. M D^{sus4} D7 G E_m A_m7 D7^{sus4} D E_m A_m

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 5

SATB Piano moderated

Coda

55

S - mise to.

A - mise to. oo

T - mise to. doo doo doo doo

B - mise to. doo doo doo doo

P. M.

F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g F/a D/f $\sharp$ G $\flat$ C/e F_{sus4} F F_{sus4}/g F/a B $\flat$ E $\flat$ /g

61

S You are gon-na be the lu - cky one oo

A oo

T oo doo doo doo doo

B oo doo doo doo doo

P. M.

F/a D/f $\sharp$ G $\flat$ C/e F $\sharp$ /e $\flat$ D $\flat$ _{sus4} D G $\flat$ add2

mf

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Original Key E major

Steady, with an inner drive

Intro

Verse 1

mf

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

6

E-very-bo-dy needs a li-ttle time a-way — I've heard you say

9

S

A

T

B

mf

from each ot - her E-ven lo-vers need a ho-li-day —

from each ot - her oo

from each ot - her oo

oo

13

S

A

T

B

far a-way from each ot - her Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry

far a-way from each ot - her Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry

from each ot - her Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry

from each ot - her Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry

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SATB

Verse 2

28

S Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

A Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

T Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

B Could-n't stand to be kept a-way — just for the day — from your bo - dy.

32

S Would-n't want to be swept a-way, — far a-way from the one that I love

A Would-n't want to be swept a-way, — far a-way from the one that I love

T Would-n't want to be swept a-way, — Far from the one that I love

B Would-n't want to be swept a-way, — Far from the one that I love

36

S Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know oo__ ba-by

A Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

T Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

B Hold me now It's hard for me to say I'm sor-ry I just want you to know

Hard to Say I'm Sorry 5

SATB

Chorus 3

50

S *f*
— a part — of me — I can't — let go Af - ter all — that we've — been

A *f*
— a part — of me — I can't — let go Af - ter all — that we've been

T *f*
— a part — of me — I can't let go Af - ter all — that we've — been

B *f*
— a part — of me — I can't let go Af - ter all — that we've been

53

S *3*
through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

A *3*
through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to.

T *3*
through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. doo doo doo

B *3*
through I will make it up to you I pro - mise to. doo doo doo

Coda

60

S
You are gon-na be the lu - cky one oo —

A
oo — oo —

T
doo — oo — doo doo doo doo doo —

B
doo — oo — doo doo doo doo doo —

C Instrument



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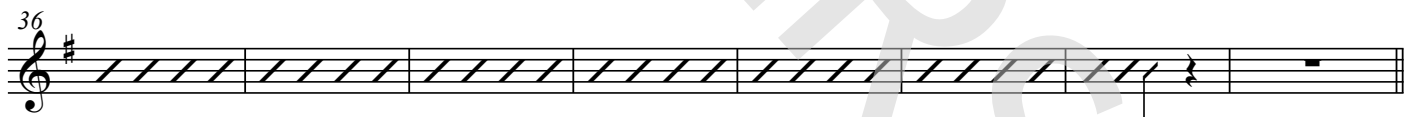
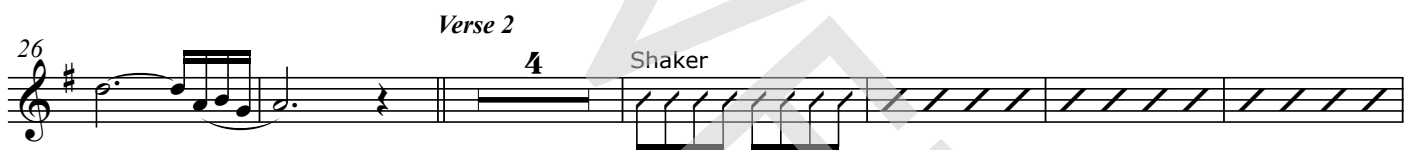
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Intro Steady, with an inner drive

Verse 1

Chorus 1



Chorus 2



Chorus 3



Coda



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Chorus 1



E♭ Instrument

chorus
online

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Intro *Steady, with an inner drive* **Verse 1** **Chorus 1**

5 11

mf *mf*

21

Verse 2 4 *Shaker*

28

39 **Chorus 2**

mf

46

f

Chorus 3 52 3

Coda 60 2

f

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Steady, with an inner drive

Intro G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/c#

Verse 1 D_{sus4} D G G Bm7 C C D

10 Em D G Bm7 C C D Em D

Chorus 1 15 Em Am G/d D7 G Em Am7 D_{7sus4} D G C/e



The score is written for piano in E major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The tempo/style is 'Steady, with an inner drive'. The piece is arranged by Dirk Kokx. The score includes an 8-measure introduction, an 8-measure first verse, an 8-measure second verse, and an 8-measure first chorus. Chords are indicated above the staff, and the melody is written in the right hand. The bass line provides harmonic support with sustained notes and moving lines. A watermark 'DEMO' is visible across the score.

Piano Moderated



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Steady, with an inner drive

Intro

Chord progression for the Intro: G, C/e, D/f#, B/d#, Em, A/c#.

Verse 1

Chord progression for Verse 1: D_{sus4}, D, G, G, B_{m7}, C, C D.

Chord progression for Verse 1 (continued): Em, D, G, B_{m7}, C, C D, Em, D, Em, Am.

Chorus 1

Chord progression for Chorus 1: G/d, D₇, G, Em, Am₇, D_{7sus4}, D, G, C/e, D/f#, B/d#.

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Intro

Strings

Verse 1



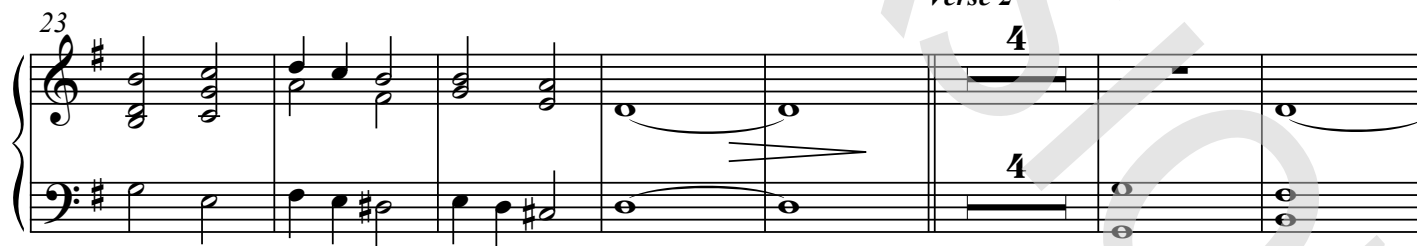
Musical score for the Intro and Verse 1. The Intro consists of 4 measures of piano accompaniment in E major, 4/4 time, marked *mp*. The Verse 1 consists of 8 measures, with the first 4 measures being piano accompaniment and the last 4 measures being a vocal melody line. The tempo is marked 'Steady, with an inner drive'.

Chorus 1



Musical score for Chorus 1, starting at measure 15. It consists of 8 measures of piano accompaniment in E major, 4/4 time, marked *mp*.

Verse 2



Musical score for Verse 2, starting at measure 23. It consists of 8 measures of piano accompaniment in E major, 4/4 time. The tempo is marked 'Steady, with an inner drive'.



Musical score for the final section of the song, starting at measure 34. It consists of 8 measures of piano accompaniment in E major, 4/4 time.

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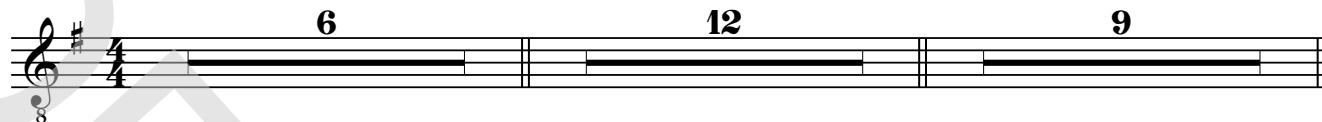
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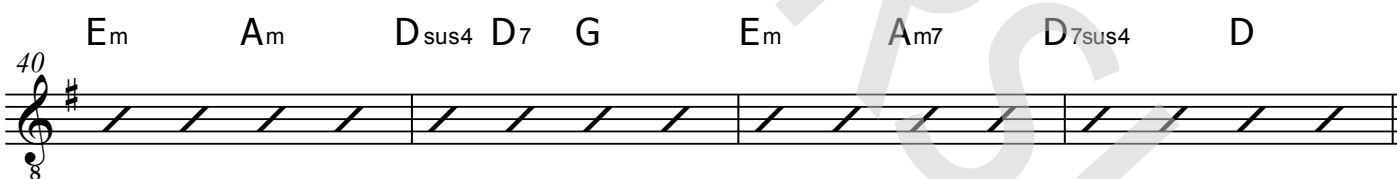
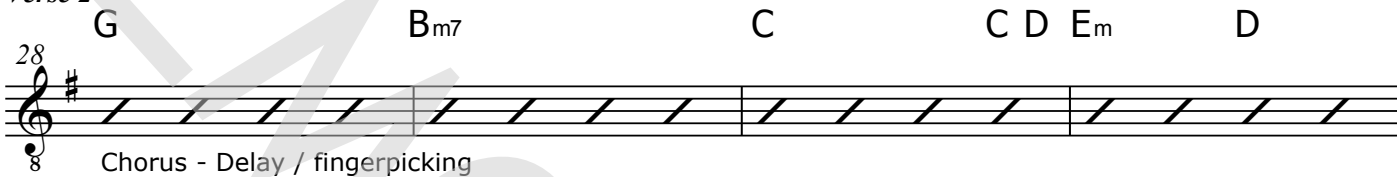
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Verse 1

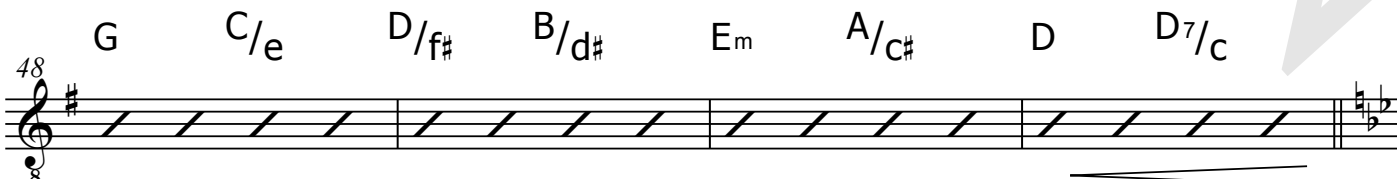
Chorus 1



Verse 2



Chorus 2



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Intro G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/c# D_{sus4} D **Verse 1**

mf

15 Em Am G/d D7 G Em Am7 D7_{sus4} D

Chorus 1

19 G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/c# D_{sus4} D^D_{sus4}/e D/f#

23 G C/e D/f# B/d# Em A/c# D_{sus4} D D_{sus4} D

Verse 2

28 G Bm7 C C D Em D

32 G Bm7 C C D Em D

36 Em Am D_{sus4} D7 G Em Am7 D7_{sus4} D

40 Em Am D_{sus4} D7 G Em Am7 D7_{sus4} D

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Drum set notation for 'Hard to Say I'm Sorry'. The notation is written on a five-line staff with various symbols and labels indicating the instrument and technique. Labels include: Hi-Hat Pedal, Hi-Hat opened, Hi-Hat Closed, Snaredrum, Bassdrum, Snare rim (click), Toms: High 1, High 2, Mid, Low, Ride light, Ride heavy, Ride cup, Cymbal Crash, Cymbal Splash, Triangle Open, Triangle Closed, Shakers (Maracas), Bells, Claves, Conga High, Conga Low, Quiro, and Tambourine. The notation shows a complex rhythmic pattern with many notes and rests.

Steady, with an inner drive

Intro

Verse 1

Chorus 1

Verse 2

Musical notation for the first part of the song. It shows a 4/4 time signature and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The notation includes a 6-measure Intro, a 12-measure Verse 1, a 9-measure Chorus 1, and a Verse 2 section. The Verse 2 section starts with a *mf* (mezzo-forte) dynamic marking. The notation includes a variety of notes, rests, and bar lines.

Musical notation for measures 30-35. The notation continues the melody and harmony from the previous section, featuring a variety of notes and rests.

Musical notation for measures 36-43. The notation includes a 'small fill' marked with a diamond symbol and a series of measures with a double bar line and a slash, indicating a continuation or a specific rhythmic pattern.

Chorus 2

Musical notation for measures 44-50. The notation continues the Chorus 2 section, featuring a variety of notes and rests.

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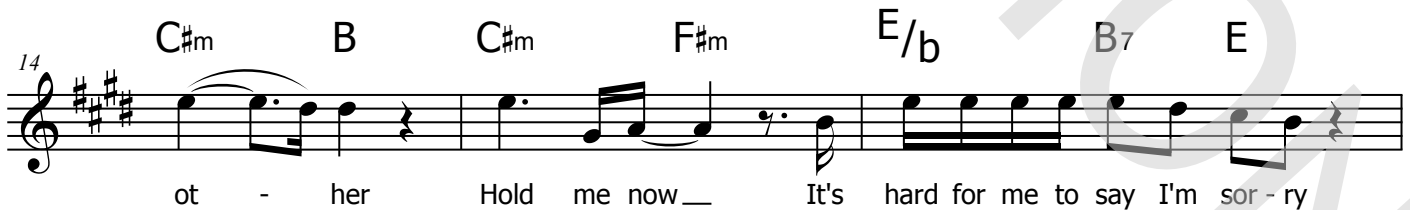
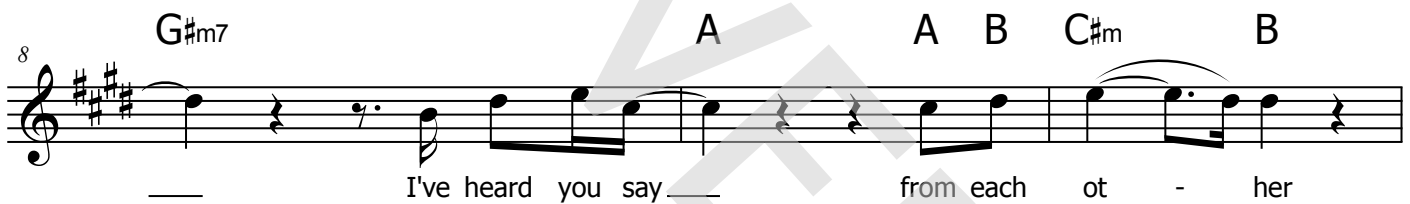
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Verse 1



Chorus 1



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Intro

Verse 1

4 **D_{sus4}** **D** **G** **G**



E-very-bo-dy needs a li-ttle time a-way

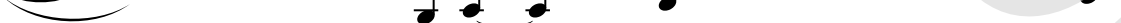
8 **Bm7** **C** **C** **D** **E_m** **D**

I've heard you say — from each ot - her

11 **G** **B_{m7}** **C** **C** **D**

E-ven lo-vers need a ho-li-day _____ far a-way from each

14 Em D Em Am G/d D7 G



ot - her Hold me now — It's hard for me to say I'm sor - ry

Chorus 1

17 *Chorus 1*

Em Am7 D7sus4 D G C/e

I just want you to stay _____ Af - ter all _____ that we've been through

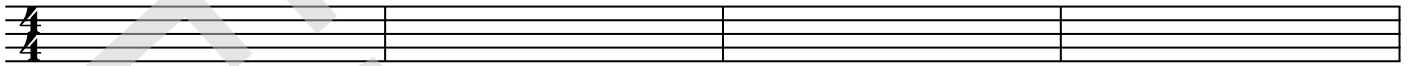


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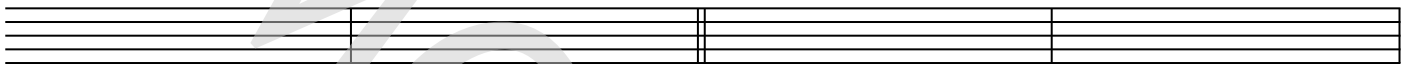
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Intro



Verse 1

5



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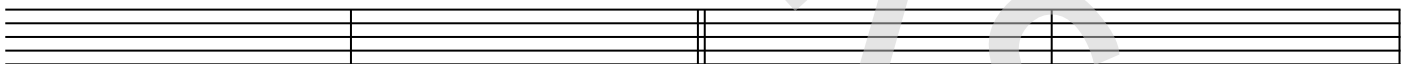


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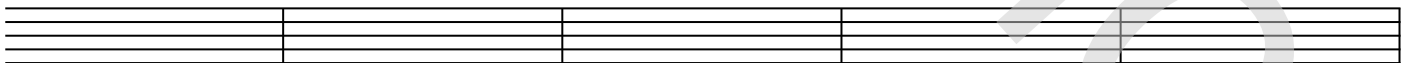


Chorus 1

17



21



Verse 2

26



30



Hard To Say I'm Sorry

"Everybody needs a little time away,"
I heard her say, "from each other."
"Even lover's need a holiday
far away from each other."

Hold me now.
It's hard for me to say I'm sorry.
I just want you to stay.

After all that we've been through,
I will make it up to you. I promise to.
And after all that's been said and done,
You're just the part of me I can't let go.

Couldn't stand to be kept away
just for the day from your body.
Wouldn't wanna be swept away,
far away from the one that I love.

Hold me now.
It's hard for me to say I'm sorry.
I just want you to know.
Hold me now.
I really want to tell you I'm sorry.
I could never let you go.

After all that we've been through,
I will make it up to you. I promise to.
And after all that's been said and done,
You're just the part of me I can't let go.

After all that we've been through,
I will make it up to you. I promise to.

You are gonna be the lucky one.