

For the Intro & Outro patterns, begin with a strum ahead of the beat on the & of 4.

[Intro]

C G Em D (x2)

[Verse 1]

C G Em D  
I was left to my own de-v-i-c-e-s  
C G Em D  
Many days fell away with nothing to show

[Pre-Chorus]

C G  
And the walls kept tumbling down  
Em D  
In the city that we l-o-v-e-d  
C G  
Great clouds roll over the hills  
Em D  
Bringing darkness from a-b-o-v-e

[Chorus]

N.C. C  
But if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
Nothing changed at all?  
C  
And if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
You've been here before?  
C G D  
How am I gonna be an optimist about this?  
C G D  
How am I gonna be an optimist about this?

[Verse 2]

C G Em D  
We were caught up and lost in all of our vices  
C G Em D  
In your pose as the dust settles around us

[Pre-Chorus]

C G  
And the walls kept tumbling down  
Em D  
In the city that we l-o-v-e-d  
C G  
Great clouds roll over the hills  
Em D  
Bringing darkness from a-b-o-v-e

[Chorus]

N.C. C  
But if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
Nothing changed at all?  
C  
And if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
You've been here before?  
C G D  
How am I gonna be an optimist about this?  
C G D

How am I gonna be an optimist about this?

[Instrumental]

C G Em D

[Bridge]

C G  
Oh where do we begin?  
Em D  
The rubble or our sins?  
C G  
Oh where do we begin?  
Em D  
The rubble or our sins?

[Pre-Chorus]

C G  
And the walls kept tumbling down  
Em D  
In the city that we l-o-v-e-d  
C G  
Great clouds roll over the hills  
Em D  
Bringing darkness from a-b-o-v-e

[Chorus]

N.C. C  
But if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
Nothing changed at all?  
C  
And if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
You've been here before?  
C G D  
How am I gonna be an optimist about this?  
C G D  
How am I gonna be an optimist about this?  
C  
But if you close your eyes,  
G  
Does it almost feel like  
Em D  
Nothing changed at all?

[Outro]

C G Em D (x2)