HELP ME MAKE IT THROUGH THE NIGHT

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KEY: G   **START NOTE**: B **TIME**: 4/4 **STRUM**: D_du _u du

INTRO: G / / /   Gsus4 / / /   G↓


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          N/C                        G     Gsus4
 1. Take the ribbon from your hair
G                            C      Csus4
    Shake it loose and let it fall
Am                          D     Dsus 4
    Layin` soft against my skin
D                              G     Gsus4    G↓
    Like the shadows on the wall.


          N/C                        G     Gsus4
 2. Come and lay down by my side
G                            C    Csus4
    `Til the early morning light
Am                          D     Dsus4
    All I`m taking is your time
 D                             G    Gsus4
    Help me make it through the night.
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Bridge:

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    G                              C     C
        I don`t care who`s right or wrong
    C                              G     G
        I don`t try to understand
    G                              A7        A7
        Let the devil take to-morrow
    A7                             D    D    D7↓
        Lord, tonight I need a friend.


          N/C                      G     Gsus4
 3. Yesterday is dead and gone
G                            C    Csus4
    And tomorrow`s out of sight
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     Am                          D     Dsus4
     And it`s bad to be alone
  D                                  G    Gsus4
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  4.  Yesterday is dead and gone
  G                      C    Csus4
     And tomorrow`s out of sight
  Am                    D     Dsus4
     And it`s bad to be alone
  D                                  G    Gsus4
     Help me make it through the night.
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Instrumental:

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  G                        G    Gsus4
        Yesterday is dead and gone,
  G                        C    Csus4
        and tomorrow's out of sight
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Outro:

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  Am                      D    Dsus4
     Yes, it's sad to be a-lone
   D                               G    Gsus4    G↓
     Help me make it. . through the night
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