

# Backwards Down the Number Line

Phish

V1	<b>C</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>D</b>
	Happy happy oh my friend, Blow out candles once again		
	<b>Em</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>C</b>
	Leave the presents all inside, Take my hand and let's take a ride		
	<b>D</b>		
	Backwards down the number line		
	<b>Em</b>	<b>D</b>	
	You were eight and I was nine. Do you know what happened then?		
	<b>C</b>		<b>G</b>
	Do you know why we're still friends? Laughing all these many years		
Chorus	<b>D</b>	<b>Em</b>	
	We pushed through hardships tasted tears, Made a promise one to keep		
	<b>Em</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>C</b>
	<b>G</b>		
	I can still recite it in my sleep		
	<b>D</b>	<b>Em</b>	
	Every time a birthday comes, Call your friend and sing a song		
	<b>D</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>G</b>
	Or whisper it into his ear, Or write it down, just don't miss a year		
	<b>F</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>G</b>
V2	You decide what it contains, How long it goes but this remains		
	<b>F</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>G</b>
	The only rule is it begins, Happy happy oh my friend		
Bridge	<b>F</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>G</b>
	And all my friends come backwards down the number line (x3)		
V2	<b>Em</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>C</b>
	Em D C Em D C		
V2	<b>Bm</b>	<b>C</b>	
	And when I see you coming down the line with eyes wide open		
	<b>Bm</b>	<b>C</b>	
V2	Somewhere in between the past and future, where you drift in time		
	<b>D</b>	<b>G</b>	
	You can see a different point of view		
Outro	Repeat Chorus 2x		
	Jam -> Repeat Chorus		
Notes	Emil's tab ( <a href="https://emilstabs.org/tabs/Backwards%20Down%20the%20Number%20Line.txt">https://emilstabs.org/tabs/Backwards%20Down%20the%20Number%20Line.txt</a> ) Studio ( <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l8idTKePHkc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l8idTKePHkc</a> )		