

## Hey, Kind Friend (Never Feel Alone)

Capo: 3 or 4

Chords:

Am7 (hammer off) G

Am 7 C G

Em G C>B>Am>G>D

Am7 (hammer off) G

C G

D/F# G

Em G C>B>Am>G>D

Am7 (hammer off) G

Hey, kind friend, thank you for  
the love you showed when it was needed most

One great surprise in this sweet life  
are the people who show up right on time

Been feeling bad down to my bones  
But I never feel alone  
No I don't

No I don't know what's coming next  
I'd spoil the plot if I knew the twists  
I can't avoid all the sticks and stones  
But I never feel alone  
No I don't

I travel light because when I go  
It's not what I have, it's who I know

All I want with what I have left  
Is to give back more than I get

Been feeling bad down to my bones  
But I never feel alone  
No I don't

## Get Your Boots On

Capo: yes

Chords

Verse:

Em Am7 B7

Chorus:

C G D Em

C G D

C G D Em

Em Am7 B7

Bridge:

C G B7 Em

C G B7

I knew that it was time to leave  
Before I felt your little tug on my sleeve  
Every party needs a gracious ghost  
We don't have to say goodbye  
Don't have to give a reason why  
Honey, get your boots on  
And let's go home

Take me home  
Take me to bed  
Take me apart  
Going out is good until it's not  
Where the exits are is a mighty fine thing to know  
Honey, get your boots on  
And let's go home

We'll pass your favorite restaurant  
You can order anything you want  
But they got a sign about shoes on the door  
But I got a telephone  
We can place our order to go  
Honey, get your boots on  
And let's go home

I promise, darling, it's not a dream  
I can take you to my favorite place to be

## **Getaway**

Capo: yes

Tuning DADGAD

Babe, I don't know what to do  
the center cannot hold  
my head is tired  
my bones feel old  
but you got a way  
of seeing right through  
the way the world breaks us down  
you said here's what we're gonna do

we're gonna get away  
we're gonna go somewhere brand new  
I'm gonna help you get away from you

I pull the white linen up  
right up over our heads  
I don't know about the breakfast  
but I sure do like this bed  
and you throw the curtains wide  
I watch the sun light up your face  
we're only here for the weekend  
so let's go see what we can see

just for a little while  
get you out of your head  
just for a little while  
now get back in this bed

you said it can't be time to go back  
let's stay another day  
or get in the car  
and live out of our suitcase  
I said, babe, you brought me here  
by that I mean you brought me back  
my bones don't feel so old  
I know how to thank you for that

we're gonna get away...

## What's Keeping You?

Capo: yes

Chords

Am B C

Chorus

F C G Am

F C G

Am B C

Am G C

Bridge

F G

C B Am G F

My neighbor's porch light used to keep me awake  
Until we turned the bed the other way  
In hindsight I can't help but wonder what  
other things could be rearranged

What's keeping you from the easy to do?  
What do you know is out of place?  
(What do you not know how to say?)  
(What is standing in your way?)  
(Trust your gut to tell your brain)  
If you followed the guiding beat of your heart  
What parts of your life would you change?

My buddy Joe thought his loyalty would show  
His boss what he was worth but never asked  
Twenty years in the rear view mirror  
With just a pat on the back

A wise woman told me she learned the hard way  
Pleasing people and yourself is not the same  
What other people feel isn't your ideal  
everything got better when she stopped needing to explain

What could you have finished if you already started?  
What would go better if you just put your heart in it?

## Little Child

Capo: yes

Chords

F (power chord, hammer on the F from the open low E) G

F C G

Chorus

F G C>B>Am>G>F

Bridge

Am G F

Come sit beside me  
It might feel a little less lonely  
It's always felt this way

In fact, I think that, looking back  
We all tell the same stories  
So I don't have much to say

Tell me, scared little child,  
How old are you now?

The world is a hard place  
There are still soft places left  
I know you got my hard head

I know, in my case,  
The difference between some good and bad days  
Are the things I tell myself

Tell me, scared little child  
How old are you now?

Ain't it funny what suddenly  
Can shatter our self-control  
I don't want to feel like a child inside  
I sure don't want to feel so old

## Sleep With the Light On

Capo: sometimes

Chords

F C

Am > B > C

F C G

Am > B > C

F C

F C G

Chorus

F C F C F C G

I don't think I've met anyone whole  
Something is already gone  
Everyone goes to sleep in the dark  
And practices dying alone

I'm gonna sleep with my light on

Nobody knows how to be alone  
Or how to stay a safe distance apart  
Everyone goes to sleep in the dark  
To hide their own broken heart

I'm gonna sleep with my light on

I caught a glimpse of the sky once, just before dawn  
The stars seemed to turn out their lights  
Everyone goes to sleep in the dark  
Everyone runs out of time

I'm gonna sleep with my light on

## My Whole Heart

Capo: somewhere

Chords:

C, add the F on the D string 3rd fret

Am G F

Chorus

C E7 Am F

C G Am F

Bridge

E7 F C

E7 F G

you start to recognize the pattern  
but don't know how it comes apart  
look at the pieces of your heart

when you understand what happened  
but still don't know the cause  
look at the wreckage of your loss

I want to learn and do better  
draw a fine line around my faults  
I want to focus on what really matters  
loving you with my whole heart

you commit to the healing  
but still don't know what you might find  
in the corners of your mind

you can be careful of the trigger  
but it's still a loaded gun  
sense the danger and you run

all my heart wants to be sure  
is to be wholehearted  
all the things worth waiting for  
waiting for me to get started

## Taking It Slow

Capo: no

Chords

C C7 F Fm

Am G F

Chorus

F C G

Am G F

Bridge

Gm F C

Gm F Fm

I've been getting high, feeling low  
Recognize that I am getting old  
I'm still moving but I'm taking it slow

Once upon a time, I used to go  
as fast as I could to see the whole damn world  
I'm still learning but i'm taking it slow

Sometimes you're caught up in just survival  
You don't notice til after you've grown  
Not gonna give up on good advice though  
I'm taking it slow

Big blue sky and an open road  
Best be getting on before I am called back home  
I'm still living but I'm taking it slow

Pretty eyes, beautiful soul  
Your hand in mine is all I need to know  
Loving you but we can take that...

For the record,  
I think it might feel better  
if we spent a little more time together  
For the record  
I think it might feel better  
if we spent a little more time  
a little more time... taking it slow



## Outgrow Me

Open D tuning DADF#AD

Capo: yes

Chord shapes

d	0	0	0
a	0	0	0
F#	0	1	1
D	0	0	2
A	0	2	0
D	0	0	0

Oh my child, don't stop growing  
Oh my child, the world is big  
All the wild and the unbroken  
Are not supposed to be held in

One day, you will outgrow me  
You won't need the support I give  
But, oh my child, listen closely  
I will love you still

Every child deserves the fortune  
Of getting answers to their "whys"  
But one day soon a door will open  
And you can't know it's the last time

## Millstone

Am >B> C

G F

Chorus

C G F

Bridge

F C G

Just so you know,  
We all know what you do  
You're like a wolf that's surprised  
That we know that you howl at the moon

We know you don't eat  
We know you don't sleep  
Working because you believe  
That working right through  
What happened to you  
Is one way to outrun your grief

You don't have to carry the weight  
Carry the weight of the millstone

It goes so slow  
Because of what you're dragging with you  
Let the river flow  
Let the water do the work for you

What everyone needs  
Is not for you to be  
The one that takes care  
Of everyone's needs  
You've got to come clean  
It's time for you to leave  
That stone behind you  
Where it's supposed to be

It all comes true  
What you don't deal with  
Deals with you

## **Whole Again**

Capo 4

Chords

C/G Am7 Em7 G

I am late afternoon  
warming you  
in a sunbeam

I am the melting snow  
when it's time to go  
become spring

I am a broken man  
from time to time  
made whole again

I am the gentle breeze  
at the tips of the trees  
when you're lonely

I am the memory  
of you next to me  
and smiling

I am a broken man  
from time to time  
made whole again