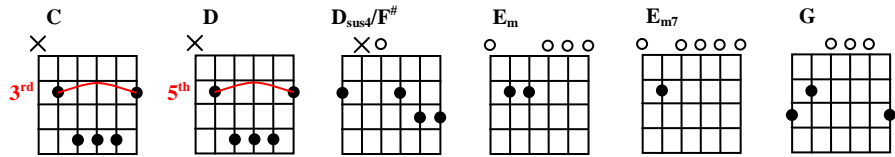


# HOW TO SAVE A LIFE

Artist: The Fray



## Intro G

### Verse 1

Step one you say we need to talk  
 He smiles politely back at you  
 Some sort of window to your right  
 Between the lines of fear and blame

He walks you say sit down, it's just a talk  
 You stare politely right on through  
 As he goes left and you stay right  
 And you begin to wonder why you came

### Chorus

Where did I go wrong, I lost a friend  
 And I would have stayed up with you all night

Somewhere alone in the bitterness  
 Had I known how to save a life

### Verse 2

Let him know that you know best  
 Try to slip past his defense  
 Lay down a list of what is wrong  
 And pray to God he hears you

'Cause after all you do know best  
 Without granting innocence  
 The things you've told him all along  
 And pray to God he hears you

### Chorus

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### Verse 4

As he begins to raise his voice  
 Drive until you lose the road  
 He will do one of two things  
 Or he'll say he's just not the same

You lower yours and grant him one last choice  
 Or break with the ones you've followed  
 He will admit to everything  
 And you'll begin to wonder why you came

### Chorus

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## Outro

**Bridge 1** How to save a life  
**Bridge 2** How to save a life

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