

no capo – 124 bpm first 4 stanzas, 148 bpm from chorus on

Rev 5; Tuesday, June 9, 2026

G
When should I start
C
to harden my heart
D
and be free?

G
When should I stop
C
playing a part
D
that's not me?

G
Why do you always
C
try to get the best
D
of me?

G
Why did I stay
C
too third eye blind
Am G D
to see?

CHORUS

Em D C
Change was bound to come. Deep down,
B A Em D
we knew it all along. So,
Em D C
time to cut and run.

B A G

You know, I'm feeling mighty wronged.

G D C

Why couldn't you love me?

D C G

Why couldn't I be enough?

D C

Why didn't you tell me, you coward?

D C G

Why did you pave the road so rough?

D C

Why couldn't you love me?

D C G

Why couldn't I be enough?

D C

Why didn't you leave me, you coward?

D C G B

Before the damage done?

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D C

Why couldn't you love me?

D C G

Why couldn't I be enough?

D C

Why didn't you say it, you coward?

D C G B

Before the deed was done?

FINAL CHORUS

Em D C
 Change was bound to come. Deep down,
 B A Em D
 we knew it all along. So,
 Em D C
 time, to end it today.
 B A Em
 Right now I need to walk away.

 D C
 Why couldn't you love me?
 D C G
 Why couldn't I be enough?
 D C
 Why didn't you leave me, you coward?
 D C G
 Before the damage done?

D Cadd9 Cadd9 Cadd9
 Oh, why why why?

 D Cadd9 Cadd9 Cadd9
 You're not telling me why why why,

 D Cadd9 Cadd9 Cadd9
 not telling me why why why?

 Cadd9 G (but 3rd fret of B and open first string)
 I know it's time to walk away.

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