

I Need to Know  
Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers

INTRO:

E RIFF 1 RIFF 1 D RIFF 2  
E -7---7-7-7---7-7-7---5--7-7-7--|  
B -9---9-7-9---9-7-9---7--8-8-7--|  
G -9---9-7-9---9-7-9---7--7-7-7--|  
D -9---9-7-9---9-7-9---7--9-9-7--|  
A -7---7-7-7---7-7-7---5--7-7-7--|  
E -7---7-7-7---7-7-7---5--7-7-7--|

VERSE:

D  
Well the talk on the street

Says you might go solo \*RIFF 1, D, RIFF 2

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G --9-7-9--7--7-7-7-|  
D --9-7-9--7--9-9-7-|  
A --7-7-7--5--7-7-7-|  
E --7-7-7--5--7-7-7-|

D  
A good friend of mine

Saw you leavin' by your back door \*RIFF 1, D, RIFF 2

CHORUS:

E  
I need to know, (I need to know)  
D  
I need to know, (I need to know)  
C

If you think you're gonna leave

D

Then you better say so

E

I need to know, (I need to know)

D

I need to know, (I need to know)

C

'Cause I don't know how long

D

I can hold on

C

If you're makin' me wait,

D

If you're leadin' me on

RIFF 1, D, RIFF 2

I need to know, (I need to know)

RIFF 1, D, RIFF 2

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VERSE:

D

Who would've thought that

\*RIFF 1, D, RIFF 2

You'd fall for his line

D

All of a sudden

\*RIFF 1, D, RIFF 2

It's me on the outside

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CHORDS USED:

E D E9sus4/B Emin7/B

E -7- -5- -7- -7-|

B -9- -7- -7- -8-|

G -9- -7- -7- -7-|

D -9- -7- -7- -9-|

A -7- -5- -7- -7-|

E -7- -5- -7- -7-|