

I DON'T WANT TO BE

Words and Music by
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Moderately slow $\text{♩} = 76$

Guitar Capo 1 B^5



Piano C^5

Verse:

B



C

A



B^b

1. I don't need to be an - y - thing oth - er than a pris - on guard's son.
2. I'm sur - round - ed by li - ars, ev - 'ry - where I turn.

B



C

A



B^b

I don't need to be an - y - thing oth - er than a spe - cial - ist's son.
I'm sur - round - ed by im - pos - ters ev - 'ry - where I turn.

B
C **A**
B \flat

I don't have to be an - y - one oth - er than the birth of two souls in one. _
I'm sur - round - ed by i - den - ti - ty cri - sis ev - 'ry - where I turn. _

B
C **A**
B \flat

— Part of where I'm go - ing is know - ing where I'm com - ing from.)
— Am I the on - ly one who no - ticed? I can't be the on - ly one who's learned. }

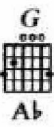
Chorus:

G **D** **A** **Bm** **A**
A \flat **E \flat** **B \flat** **Cm** **B \flat**

I don't want to be an - y - thing oth - er than what I've been try'n' to be late - ly. _

G **D** **A** **Bm** **A**
A \flat **E \flat** **B \flat** **Cm** **B \flat**

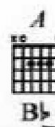
— All I have to do is think of me, and I have peace of mind. _



Ab



Eb



Bb



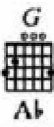
Cm



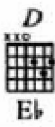
Bb

I'm tired of look-ing 'round rooms, won-d'ring what I've got to do, or who I'm sup-posed to be. _

To Coda ♪ 1.



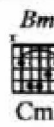
Ab



Eb

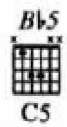


Bb

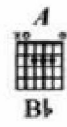


Cm

I don't want to be an - y - thing oth - er than me. _



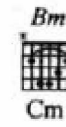
C5



Bb



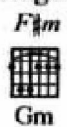
Bb



Cm

oth-er than me. _

Bridge:





Gm





C(9)/G

Can I have ev - 'ry - one's at - ten - tion, please? _


F#m

 Gm



B(9)/F#

 C(9)/G


B *A*
 
 C Bb



(Spoken:) If you're not like this and that, you're gonna have to leave.



E7/G#

 F7/A

B *A*
 
 C Bb


E7/G#

 F7/A

B *A*
 
 C Bb

I came from the moun-tain, the crust of cre-a-tion.





D.S. al Coda

E7/G#

 F7/A

A

 Bb

D

 Eb

E

 F


D/F#


 E/G


My whole sit-u-a-tion made from clay to stone, and now I'm tell-ing ev-'ry-bod-y.



Coda

A

 Bb

Bm

 Cm

A

 Bb

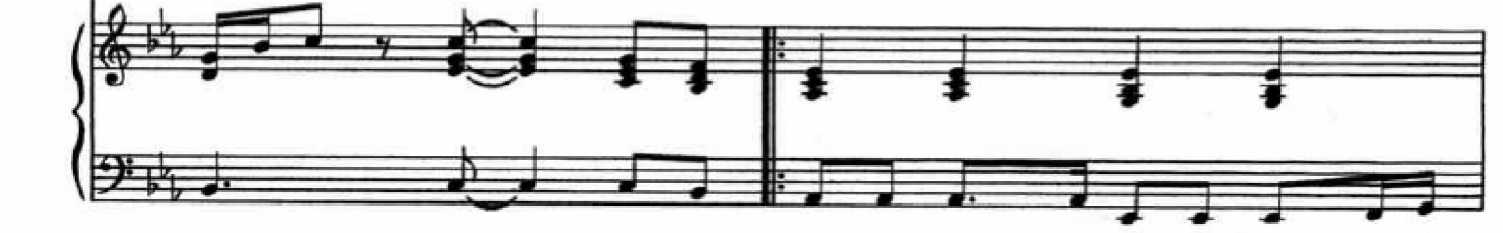
G

 Ab

D

 Eb

oth-er than me. I don't want to be,



B♭	Cm	B♭	A♭	E♭	B♭	Cm	B♭

I don't want to be,

A♭	E♭	B♭	Cm	B♭

I don't want to be an - y -

A♭	E♭	B♭	Cm	B♭

Repeat ad lib. and fade

thing an - y - thing oth - er than me.