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Help Me Make It Through the Night



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Intro: **G** . . . **C** . . . **D7** . . . **G** . .

n.c. **G** **C**
Take the ribbon from your hair. Shake it loose and let it fall
D7 **G**
Layin' soft against my skin like the shadows on the wall

n.c. **G** **C**
Come and lay down by my side 'til the early mornin' light
D7 **G**
All I'm takin' is your time. Help me make it through the night

Chorus:

G7 **C** **G**
I don't care what's right or wrong. I don't try to understand
A **D7**
Let the devil take to-morrow. Lord, tonight I need a friend

n.c. **G** **C**
Yesterday is dead and gone and tomorrow's out of sight
D7 **G**
And it's sad to be a-lone. Help me make it through the night

Optional instrumental

G **G** **C**
Come and lay down by my side 'til the early mornin' light
D7 **G**
All I'm takin' is your time. Help me make it through the night

<Chorus>

n.c. **G** **C**
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D7 **G**
And it's sad to be a-lone. Help me make it through the night

Outro (x2, ritard 2nd time)

C **D7** **G**
I don't want to be a-lone. Help me make it through the night

