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Verse 1

Verses are D to Gmaj7 (one bar of each), repeat. (There is a stray Em at the end of Verse 1 only, sorta like a little musical pause).

Friday night, I'm going nowhere,
All the lights are changing green to red.
Turning over TV stations,
Situations running through my head
Looking back through time, you know,
It's clear that I've been blind, I've been a fool
To open up my heart to all that jealousy,
That bitterness, that ridicule. (Em)

Verse 2

Saturday I'm running wild
An' all the lights are changin', red to green.
Moving through the crowds, I'm pushin',
Chemicals are rushing in my bloodstream.
Only wish that you were here,
You know I'm seein' it so clear, I've been afraid
To show you how I really feel,
Admit to some of those bad mistakes I've made.

Pre-Chorus

D A Em7
If you want it, come an' get it, for crying
F#m7
out loud.
D A Em
The love that I was, givin' you was,
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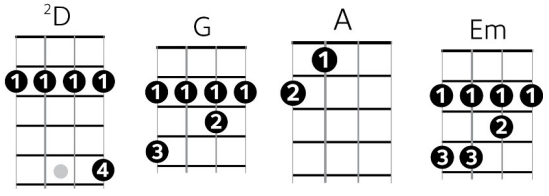
never in doubt



Chorus (D, A, Em, A – one bar of each)
Let go of your heart, let go of your head, and feel it now
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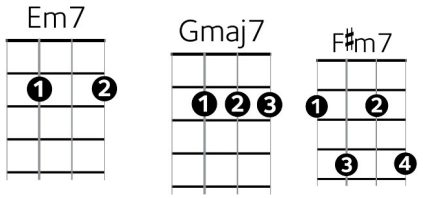
Refrain – Post Chorus

Back to the D to Gmaj7 – saying the word *Babylon.*

Verse 3

Sunday, all the lights in London shining,
Sky is fading red to blue.
Kickin' through the autumn leaves
And wonderin' where it is you might be going to.
Turnin' back for home, you know,
I'm feeling so alone, I can't believe.
Climbin' on the stair I turn around
To see you smiling there in front of me.

Pre-chorus

Chorus x2

Probably a double chorus at the end, heading out the door on the Post Chorus of *Babylon*. With probably a screaming Will or Susie solo.