

Duncan Sheik- Barely Breathing (1996)

Intro: Em7 A-As2 Cadd9/G Ds2/F# (x2) then pause

Verse 1:

I know what you're doing, I see it all too clear
I only taste the saline when I kiss away your tears
You really had me going, wishing on a star
The black holes that surround you are heavier by far,
I believed in your confusion, you're so completely torn.
It must have been that yesterday was the day that I was born.
There's not much to examine, nothing left to hide.
You really can't be serious, to have to ask me why
I saaaaaay goodbye-ee-eye...

Chorus:

'Cause I am barely breathing, I can't find the air,
I don't know who I'm kidding imagining you care
And I could stand here waiting, a fool for another day
I don't suppose it's worth the price, it's worth the price
The price that I would pay-ee-ay-ay-ay

Verse 2:

Everyone keeps asking, what's it all about?
I used to be so certain, now I can't figure out
What is this attraction, it's only filled by pain?
There's nothing left to reason and only you to blame,
Will it ever change?

Chords Used:

Em7	(022030)	A	(x02220)
As2	(x02200)	Cadd9/G	(332030)
Ds2/F#	(2x0230)	Ds2/F	(1x0230)
Cadd9	(x32033)	G9	(3x0233)
Am	(x02210)	FMaj9/C	(887080)
D	(xx0232)	Gm13	(3x3310)



Chorus

Chorus Tag: (x2)

Cadd9 G9 Am FMaj9/C (hang out second time)
But I'm thinking it over anyway, yeah, yeah, yeah

Bridge:

D Am
I've come to find, I may never know
Cadd9 Gm13
Your changing mind, is it friend or foe?
D Am
I rise above or sink below
Cadd9 Gm13 (hang out)
With every time you come and go
FMaj9/C (pause)
Please, don't come and go...

Chorus

Chorus Tag (x2)

Outro:

FMaj9/C (still hanging out) (pause)
I know what your doin' I see it all too clear...