

A BETTER WAY

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Key Bbm

Or play as Am, capo 1st fret

Time sig 4/4 (as 12/8)



INTRO

1			
2	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)
6	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)

VERSE 1

10	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G) Erudite has had its day, And	Db (as C) I must find a better way to	Gb (as F) keep it edgy,	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7) keep it real, A
14	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm) better way of reaching out That	Db (as C) >> Gb (as F) helps relieve that mutual doubt, A	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G) better way to tell you	Ebm (as Dm) >> Db (as C) How I feel
18	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7)

VERSE 2 (as Verse 1)

22	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G) Bright ideas have etc	Db (as C) etc	Gb (as F) etc	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7) etc
26	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm) etc	Db (as C) >> Gb (as F) etc	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G) etc	Ebm (as Dm) >> Db (as C) I still care
30	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7)

BRIDGE (Instrumental)

34	Gb (as F) >> Db (as C)	Gb (as F) >> Ab (as G)	Gb (as F) >> Db (as C)	Gb (as F) >> Ab7 (as G7)
38	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm)	Db (as C) >> Ab (as G)	Gb (as F) >> Db (as C)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7)

INSTRUMENTAL VERSE

42	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7)
46	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm)	Db (as C) >> Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Ebm (as Dm) >> Db (as C)
50	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7) In-

VERSE 3 (as Verse 1)

54	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G) tentions fall etc	Db (as C) etc	Gb (as F) etc	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7) etc
58	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm) etc	Db (as C) >> Gb (as F) etc	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G) etc	Ebm (as Dm) >> Db (as C) I love you
62	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Db (as C)	Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab7 (as G7)

CODA

66	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm)	Db (as C) >> Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Ebm (as Dm) >> Db (as C)
70	Db (as C) >> Ebm (as Dm)	Db (as C) >> Gb (as F)	Bbm (as Am) >> Ab (as G)	Ebm (as Dm) >> Db (as C)

v1 Erudite has had its day,
And I must find a better way
To keep it edgy, keep it real:
A better way of reaching out,
That helps relieve that mutual doubt:
A better way to tell you
How I feel.

v2 Bright ideas have flashed the pan,
And I must find a surer plan
To keep it full on, sharp, aware:
A better way to take your hand,
And still convey I understand:
A better way to tell you
I still care.

v3 Intentions fall to dumb cliches,
And I must dream up smarter ways
To keep things shiny, keep them new:
A better way to hold you tight
And let you know the world's alright:
A better way to tell you
I love you.