

I'm Fine (But That's a Lie)

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Intro:

E F#m C#m A

Verse 1:

E F#m

This year has broke us down to dust

C#m A

Shattered glass floors we learned to trust

E F#m

Normal gone, over so abrupt

C#m A

Change like a rush, had to adjust

Chorus:

E F#m

I try, and I try, and I try, and I try

C#m A

To say I'm fine, but I know that's a lie

E F#m

I try, and I try, and I try, and I try

C#m A

To change my mind, but I can't deny

Verse 2:

E F#m

We dream of what life was before

C#m A

Our planning washed up on the shore

E F#m

My disappointment I ignore

C#m A

To fight this war and brace for more

Verse 3:

E F#m
Overwhelming this sense of grief
C#m A
Comes to take my joy like a thief
E F#m
Not sure when this will ever leave
C#m A
Will it be beat or bury me?

Instrumental:

E F#m C#m A

Bridge:

E F#m C#m
Oh, I feel, do I even feel?
A
Is this really real, really real?
E F#m C#m
And oh, are there even words for all that's occurred?
A
How do I speak those words?

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