

# OVERPROTECTED

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♩ = 96



NC.



(Ac-tion!) 1. Say hel - lo to the girl that I am. You're gon-na have to  
*(Verse 2 see block lyric)*



NC.



see through my per - spec - tive. I need to make mis - takes just to learn who I



NC.



am. And I don't wan-na be so damn pro-tec - ted. There must



Fm

B<sup>b</sup>

Cm

N.C.

be an - oth - er way — 'cause I be - lieve — in tak - ing chan - ces. But

Fm7

B<sup>b</sup>

G7

N.C.

who am I — to say — what a girl is to do, God I need some ans - wers.

Fm

G7

Cm

What am I to do with — my life? — (You will find it out, — don't wor-

Fm

G7

Cm

- ry.) How am I sup-posed to know — what's right? — (You just got to do — it your-

Fm7



Bb



Eb



Ao



E7/G



Fm7



G7



— way.) I can't help the way I feel. But my life has been so ov - er - pro - tec - ted.

1.

2.

Cm



N.C.

N.C.

Fm



2. I'll tell 'em what I (I need time.)

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(I need time.)

Cm



(Love.) (I need space.) (This is it.)

(Love.)

(I need

space.)

(This is it.)

Fm



(2° G7)

(2° Cm)

I don't need no - bo - dy tell - in' me just what I wan - na what I what, what, what I'm gon - na

I don't need no - bo - dy tell - in' me just what I wan - na

what I what, what, what I'm gon - na

(2° Fm)

(2° G7)



(I need) do a - bout my des - ti - ny. (I say



no, no) No-bo-dy's tell-in' me just what I wan-na (do, do) I'm so fed up with peo-ple tell-in' me to



2° tacet

N.C.



be some-one else but me. (Ac-tion!) me. What am I to do with my life?-



(You will find it out, don't wor - ry.) How am I sup-posed to know what's right?

Chord diagrams: Cm (fr3), Fm7, B7

(You just got to do— it your— way.) I can't help the way— I feel—

1. Chord diagrams: Eb (fr3), Ab (fr4), Db, G7

But my life has been— so ov - er - pro - tec - ted.

2. Chord diagrams: Eb (fr3), Ab (fr4), Eb/G (fr3), Fm7, G7, N.C.

But my life has been— so ov - er - - - pro - tec - ted.

Verse 2:  
 I'll tell 'em what I like  
 What I won't and what I don't  
 But every time I do  
 I stand corrected  
 Things that I've known  
 I can't believe what I hear about the world  
 I realise I'm overprotected.

There must be another way *etc.*