

Careless

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Intro

G D Em C G D Em C

G D Em C
How many cabs in New York City, how many
angels on a pin?
G D Em C
How many notes in a saxophone, how many tears in
a bottle of gin?
G D Em C
How many times did you call my name, knock at the
door but you couldn't get in?

Chorus

G D Em C G D Em C
I know I've been careless

G D Em C
I've been wrapped up in a shell nothing could get
through to me
G D Em C
Acted like I didn't know I had friends or family
G D Em C
I saw worry in their eyes, it didn't look like fear to
me

G D Em C G D Em C G D
I know I've been careless (I lost
my tenderness)
G D Em C G D Em C
I've been careless (I took bad care of this)

G D Em C
Like a mixture in a bottle, like a frozen-over lake
G D Em C
Like a longtime painted smile I got so hard I had to
crack
G D Em C
You were there, you held the line, you're the one
that brought me back

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G D Em C
How many stars in the milky way, how many way
can you lose a friend?

Chorus

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