

PIANO/VOCAL/CHORDS

Just The Way You Are

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Moderately

The piano introduction consists of four measures. The right hand plays a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes and chords, while the left hand plays a steady bass line. The dynamic marking is *mf*.

Chord diagrams for the first system:

- D:
- Bm6:
- Gmaj7:
- Bm:
- D7:
- Gmaj7:

Don't go chang - ing — to try and please me — You nev-er

Chord diagrams for the second system:

- Gm:
- D/F# (00):
- Am7 (0 0 0):
- D7 (0):
- Gmaj7:
- Gm:

let me down be - fore — mm — mm — don't im - ag - ine —

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H-L

D/F#



Bm7



Bm7/E



E9



G/A



you're too fa - mil - iar — And I don't see — you an - y more —

D



Bm6



Gmaj7



Bm



D7



I — would not leave you — in times of trou - ble —

Gmaj7



Gm



D/F#



Am7



D7



Gmaj7



We never could have come this far — mm — mm — I took the good

Gm6



D/F#



Bm7



Em7



G/A



times — I'll take the bad — times — I'll take you just — the way you are

D Gm6 G/D D Gm6 G/D D

0 000 0

D Bm6 Gmaj7 Bm D7 Gmaj7

0 0 0 0

Don't go try - ing Some new fash - ion - Don't change the col -

Gm D/F# Am7 D7 Gmaj7 Gm

0 0 0 0

or of your hair - mm - mm - You al - ways have my

D/F# Bm7 Bm7/E E9

0 0 0 0 0 0

un - spok - en pas - sion - Al - though I might - not seem to care -

G/A  D  Bm6  Gmaj7 

I don't want clever con - ver -

Bm  D7  Gmaj7  Gm  D/F#  Am7  D7 

sa - tion I never want to work that hard mm mm

Gmaj7  Gm  D/F#  Bm7  Em7 

I just want some-one that I can talk to I want you just

G/A  D  Gm6/D  G/D  D  Gm6/D  D  D7 

the way you are.

G A F#m7 B7 Em7

I need to know that you will al - ways be The same old som

A D Am/C Bb C

one that I knew Oh What will it take till you be - lieve -

Am7 D D7 Gm7 C G/A

in me The way that I be - lieve in you

D Bm6 Gmaj7 Bm D7

I *voice tacet on D.S.* said I love you and that's for - ev - er

instrumental on D.S.

Gmaj7 Gm Gm6 D/F# Am7 D7 Gmaj7



And this I promise from the heart mm mm I could not love

Gm6 D/F# Bm7 Em7 G/A



you an y bet ter I love you just the way you are

D Gm6 G/D D Gm6 G/D D



D.S. al Coda

CODA D/E E9 G/A D



I don't want

Bm6



G7



Bm



D7



Gmaj7



Gm



clev - er con - ver - sa - tion I nev - er want to work that hard

D/F#



Am7



D7



Gmaj7



Gm6



D/F#



mm I just want some - one that I can talk

Bm7



Em7



G/A



Bb



C



to I want you just the way you are

Am7



D7



Gm7



A7



Dmaj7



Whoa

