

Desperate Times And Drastic Measures



Composer **David Quinn-Jacobs**

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Tuning **True Chords (without capo)**

A D E
Lyin' in our bed this morning

A D E
You broke the news I never thought I'd hear

A D A D
You told me you were through, And there's nothing I can do

A E A
Now I'm sorting it all out, without you here

D E
Desperate times and drastic measures

D A
They say they always go together

A E
Well I'm desperate now, but I don't know what to do

D E A D
What measures can I take, knowin' what's at stake

A E A
Is a lifetime alone, without you?
instrumental over verse

After twenty years this sudden change in weather
Has left me standing numb out in the cold
And I still don't even know, Why you feel you had to go
You left as if I didn't need to be told

refrain

We used to walk out in our back woods together
And all those years I never felt alone
I'm walking out here now, And the rain is streaming down
The cold is soaking in right down to my bones

refrain, then instrumental over verse

I don't want to start life again, all over
And if I did, I'd want you to be there too
Tell me something I can do, To make it right with you
To have you back with me as my twenty-year best friend

refrain, then repeat last two lines of refrain