

# Alanis Morissette - Can't Not

Tom: D

(first verse played softly, almost without sound, pianissimo)

I'd be lying if I said I was completely unscathed  
 I might be proving you right with my silence or my retaliation  
 would I be letting you win in my non reaction?  
 how would I explain?  
 how would I explain this to my children if I had them?

Because I can't not.  
 Because I can't not  
 Because i can't afford to be misread one more time.

Would I be whining if I said I needed a hug?  
 Would you feel slighted if I said your love's not enough?  
 how can I complain?  
 how can I complain when Im the one who reaches for it?

Because I can't not.  
 Because I can't not  
 Because i cannot walk without my crutches

Because I can't not.  
 Because I can't not  
 Because i can't help wonder why you ask me

(Here come's the strings section and the piano, lyrical and

beautiful moment, voice must be extreme soft)

To all the unheard wisdom in the schoolyard  
 you think you're the right ones  
 you think you're the charmed ones i'm sure  
 how can you go on with such conviction?  
 and who do you think you are?  
 why do you question me?

Because we can't not  
 Because we can't not  
 Because we can't help laugh at underestimations

Because we can't not  
 Because we can't not  
 Because we can't afford to be misled one more time

Because we can't not  
 Because we can't not  
 Because we cannot help without your willingness.

Why do you affect me? why do you affect me still?  
 Why do you hinder me? why do you hinder me still?  
 why do you unnerve me? why do you unnerve me still?  
 why do you trigger me? why do you trigger me still?

## Acordes

