

# Riptide

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Vance Joy: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uJ\\_1HMAGb4k](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uJ_1HMAGb4k) Capo on 1

[Am] [G] [C]  
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[Am] I was scared of [G] dentists and the [C] dark,  
[Am] I was scared of [G] pretty girls and [C] starting conversations,  
[Am] Oh all my [G] friends are turning [C] green,  
[Am] You're the magicians [G] assistant in their [C] dreams.

[Am] Ooh, [G] ooh [C] ooh  
[Am] Ooh, [G] and they [C] come unstuck

Chorus:

[Am] Lady, [G] running down to the [C] riptide,  
[C] Taken away to the [Am] dark side,  
[G] I wanna be your [C] left hand man.  
[Am] I love you [G] when you're singing that [C] song and,  
[C] I got a lump in my [Am] throat 'cause  
[G] You're gonna sing the [C] words wrong

[Am] There's this movie [G] that I think you'll [C] like,  
[Am] This guy decides to [G] quit his job and [C] heads to New York City,  
[Am] This cowboy's [G] running from [C] himself.  
[Am] And she's been living [G] on the highest [C] shelf

[Am] Ooh, [G] ooh [C] ooh  
[Am] Ooh, [G] and they [C] come unstuck

Chorus

[Am] I just wanna, I just wanna [G] know,  
[C] If you're gonna, if you're gonna [F] stay,  
[Am] I just gotta, I just gotta [G] know,  
[C] I can't have it, I can't have it [F]\* any other way

[Am] I swear she's [G] destined for the [C] screen,  
[Am] Closest thing to [G] Michelle Pfeiffer [C] that you've ever seen, oh

Chorus x 3

[C] I got a lump in my [Am] throat [G] 'cause you're gonna sing the [C] words wrong.

