

# 199 Living Next Door To Alice

**Intro verse – SLOW, ONE STRUM ONLY - ONE VOCAL**

[A] Sally called when she got the word.

[D] She said, “I suppose you’ve heard a-[E7]bout [A] Alice.” [E7]

Well I [A] rushed to the window and I looked outside,

[D] could hardly believe my eyes,

As a [E7] big Limousine rolled up into [A] Alice’s drive. [E7]

**Chorus:**

I [A] don’t know why she’s leaving or where she’s gonna go

I [D] guess she’s got her reasons but I just don’t wanna know.

’Cos for [E7] twenty-four years I’ve been living next door to [A] Alice. [E7]

[A] Twenty-four years just waiting for the chance

To [D] tell her how I feel and maybe get a second glance,

Now I’ve [E7] got to get used to not [D] living next [E7] door to [A] Alice. [E7]

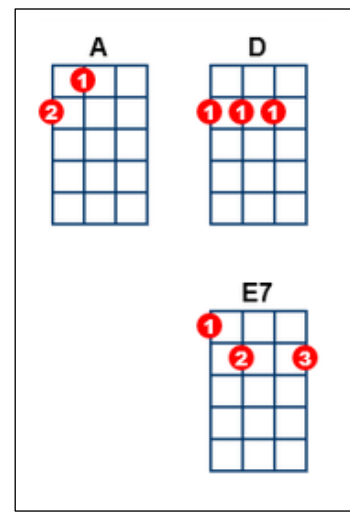
We [A] grew up together, two kids in the park.

We [D] carved our initials deep in the bark, [E7] me and [A] Alice. [E7]

Now she [A] walks through the door with her head held high,

[D] Just for a moment, I caught her eye.

A [E7] big Limousine pulled slowly out of [A] Alice’s drive [E7]



## CHORUS

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to [A] Alice. [E7]



[A] And Sally called back and asked how I felt,

[D] And she said: “I know how to help – [E7] get over [A] Alice”. [E7]

She said: “Now [A] Alice is gone, but I’m still here,

[D] You know I’ve been waiting for twenty-four years “

[E7]\* [NC] And a big limousine disappeared

## CHORUS

**Repeat last line as ....SLOWING**

No I’ll [E7] never get used to not [D] living next [E7] door to [A] Alice.