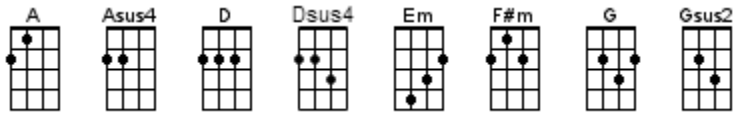


# Bad Timing

Jim Cuddy, Greg Keelor 1993 (as recorded by Blue Rodeo)



**INTRO:** / 1 2 3 4 /

**[A] / [G][A] / [D][Dsus4] / [D][Dsus4][D] /**

**[G]** Hey it's me what a **[Gsus2]** big surprise

**[G]** Calling you up from a **[Gsus2]** restaurant **[G]** 'round the **[D]** bend **[Dsus4] / [D][Dsus4][D]**

I **[G]** just got in from a **[Gsus2]** way up North

I'm **[G]** achin' and tired now **[Gsus2]** and I could **[G]** use a **[D]** friend **[Dsus4] / [D]**

I **[Dsus4]** might be **[D]** a fool **[F#m]**

To think that you **[G]** do, want to see me a **[A]**gain **[Asus4] / [A]**

I **[G]** know it's been a while since I **[Gsus2]** talked to you

**[G]** Nothing wrong, just **[Gsus2]** nothing ever **[G]** goes as **[D]** planned **[Dsus4] / [D][Dsus4][D] /**

**[G]** Many times I **[Gsus2]** thought I'd call

**[G]** Didn't have your **[Gsus2]** number **[G]** in my **[D]** hand **[Dsus4] /**

**[D]** Well **[Dsus4]** I know **[D]** it's true **[F#m]**

You'd never **[G]** do, the same thing to **[A]** me **[Asus4]**

**[A]** I never **[G]** meant to make you **[D]** cry **[Dsus4] / [D]**

And though I **[Dsus4]** know I **[D]** shouldn't **[G]** call **[Gsus2] / [G]**

It just re-**[Gsus2]** minds us **[G]** of the **[Em]** cost

Oh of everything we've **[A]** lost, bad timing that's **[D]** all **[Dsus4] / [D]**

And maybe **[Dsus4]** soon there'll **[D]** come a **[D]** day **[Dsus4] / [D]**

When no more **[Dsus4]** tears **[D]** will **[G]** fall **[Gsus2] / [G]**

We each for-**[Gsus2]** give **[G]** a little **[Em]** bit

Then we both look back on **[A]** it, it's just bad timing that's **[D]** all **[Dsus4] / [D] /**

## **INSTRUMENTAL VERSE:**

**[G]** Hey it's me what a **[Gsus2]** big surprise /

**[G]** Calling you up from a **[Gsus2]** restaurant **[G]** 'round the / **[D]** bend **[Dsus4] / [D][Dsus4][D] I / [G]** just got in from a **[Gsus2]** way up North

I'm / **[G]** achin' and tired now **[Gsus2]** and I could **[G]** use a / **[D]** friend **[Dsus4] / [D]**

I **[Dsus4]** might be **[D]** a fool **[F#m]**

To think that you / **[G]** do, want to see me a-/**[A]**gain **[Asus4] / [A] /**

**[G]** Used to have so many plans

**[G]** Something always **[Gsus2]** seemed to **[G]** turn out **[D]** wrong **[Dsus4] / [D][Dsus4][D] /**

**[G]** Never could catch **[Gsus2]** up to you

**[G]** Moving on and **[Gsus2]** doing **[G]** all you've **[D]** done **[Dsus4] / [D]**

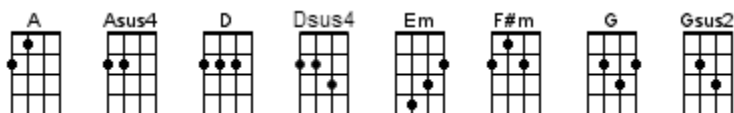
Well **[Dsus4]** I don't **[D]** know why **[F#m]**

The harder I **[G]** try, the harder it **[A]** comes **[Asus4]**

**[A]** I never **[G]** meant to make you **[D]** cry **[Dsus4]** / **[D]**  
 And though I **[Dsus4]** know I **[D]** shouldn't **[G]** call **[Gsus2]** / **[G]**  
 It just re-**[Gsus2]**minds us **[G]** of the **[Em]** cost  
 Oh of everything we've **[A]** lost, bad timing that's **[D]** all **[Dsus4]** / **[D]**  
 And maybe **[Dsus4]** soon there'll **[D]** come a **[D]** day **[Dsus4]** / **[D]**  
 When no more **[Dsus4]** tears **[D]** will **[G]** fall **[Gsus2]** / **[G]**  
 We each for-**[Gsus2]**give **[G]** a little **[Em]** bit  
 Then we both look back on **[A]** it, it's just bad timing that's **[D]** all **[Dsus4]** / **[D]**  
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 Then we both look back on **[A]** it, it's just bad timing that's **[D]** all **[Dsus4]** / **[D]** /

**OUTRO:**

**[A]** / **[G]****[A]** / **[D]**↓



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