

I AM I SAID – Neil Diamond (Bb)

CAPO 1ST FRET

GUITAR / KEYBOARD CHORDS:

A = xo222o

A#



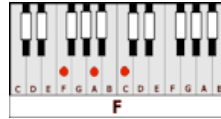
D = xxo232

D#



E = o221oo

F



E7 = o2o1oo

F7



Asus2 = xo22oo

A#sus2



Asus4 = xo223o

A#sus4



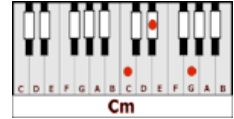
Dsus4 = xxo233

D#sus4



Bm = xx4432

Cm



INTRO: **A/A# Asus2/A#sus2**
A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 Asus4/A#sus4
A/A# Asus2/A#sus2
A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 Asus4/A#sus4
A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 E7/F7

A/A# **D/D#**
 L.A. is fine, the sun shines most of the time .. and the feeling is laid back
E/F **E7/F7** **E/F** **E7/F7**
 Palm trees grow and rents are low .. but you know I keep thinking about ..
A/A# **Asus2/A#sus2 - A/A#**
 .. making my way back

A/A# **D/D#**
 Well, I'm New York City born and raised .. but nowadays I'm lost between two shores
E/F **E7/F7** **E/F** **E7/F7**
 L.A.'s fine, but it ain't home .. New York's home, but it ain't ..
A/A# Asus4/A#sus4 A/A#
 .. mine no more

A/A# Asus4/A#sus4 A/A# **D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D#**
 CHORUS: I am, I said to no one there
Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D# Bm/Cm A/A# N.C.
 And no one heard at all, not even the chair
N.C. A/A# Asus4/A#sus4 A/A# D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D#
 I am, I cried I am, said I
Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D# Bm/Cm A/A# E7/F7
 And I am lost, and I can't even say why ...

A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 Asus4/A#sus4
INTERLUDE: ...Leavin' me lonely still.

A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 Asus4/A#sus4
A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 Asus4/A#sus4
A/A# Asus2/A#sus2 Asus4/A#sus4

A/A# **D/D#**
Did you ever read about a frog who dreamed of being a king .. and then became one
E/F **E7/F7** **E/F** **E7/F7**
Well, except for the names and a few other changes .. if you talk about me ..
A/A# **Asus2/A#sus2 - A/A#**
.. the story's the same one

A/A# **D/D#**
But I got an emptiness deep inside .. and I've tried but it won't let me go
E/F **E7/F7** **E/F** **E7/F7**
And I'm not a man who likes to swear .. but I never cared for the sound ..
Asus4/A#sus4 A/A#
.. of being alone

A/A# Asus4/A#sus4 A/A# **D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D#**
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Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D# Bm/Cm A/A#
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(rapid fade out)
A/A# Asus4/A#sus4 A/A# D/D# Dsus4/D#sus4 D/D#
OUTRO: I am, I said I am, I cried
D/D# Bm/Cm A/A#
I am