

**GUESS THINGS HAPPEN THAT WAY**

by Johnny Cash

**A**                                  **D**                  **A**  
WELL, YOU ASK ME IF I'LL FORGET MY BABY  
**A**                                  **D**  
I GUESS I WILL SOME DAY  
**A**                                  **E**                                  **A (E)**  
I DON'T LIKE IT BUT I GUESS THINGS HAPPEN THAT WAY

**A**                                  **D**                  **A**  
YOU ASK ME IF I'LL GET ALONG  
**A**                                  **D**  
I GUESS I WILL SOME WAY  
**A**                                  **E**                                  **A (E)**  
I DON'T LIKE IT BUT I GUESS THINGS HAPPEN THAT WAY

**Chorus:**

**D**                                  **A**                                  **E**                                  **A**                  **D**  
GOD GAVE ME THAT GIRL TO LEAN ON, THEN HE PUT ME ON MY OWN  
**D**                                  **A**                                  **E**                                  **A**  
HEAVEN HELP ME BE A MAN AND HAVE THE STRENGTH TO STAND ALONE  
**A**                                  **E**                                  **A (E)**  
I DON'T LIKE IT BUT I GUESS THINGS HAPPEN THAT WAY

YOU ASK ME IF I'LL MISS HER KISSES  
I GUESS I WILL EVERY DAY  
I DON'T LIKE IT BUT I GUESS THINGS HAPPEN THAT WAY

YOU ASK ME IF I'LL FIND ANOTHER  
I DON'T KNOW, I CAN'T SAY  
I DON'T LIKE IT BUT I GUESS THINGS HAPPEN THAT WAY

**Repeat Chorus**