

**Dave Alvin****"What We Want, Want We Get"**

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Baby, we are lying here  
Pretending that we're both asleep  
I can hear your broken heart  
And every single breath you breathe  
It's hard to find the words to say  
When we both hurt like this  
I close my eyes and pray  
Time will heal what we're bound to miss

No one can ever say  
Why it goes this way

Sometimes what we want isn't what we get  
Sometimes what we get ain't really what we want  
Sometimes what we want isn't what we get  
Sometimes what we get ain't really what we want

It seems for every one we win  
There's another three we lose  
We've waited for the answer here  
Only just to leave confused  
You know you're forever mine  
And baby, I'm forever yours  
I've waited in the darkest rooms  
Waiting on the open door

No one can ever say  
Why it goes this way

Sometimes what we want isn't what we get  
Sometimes what we get ain't really what we want  
Sometimes what we want isn't what we get  
Sometimes what we get ain't really what we want

We've been so long wishing for things  
We just keep forgetting that we  
Got all we'll ever need in you and me

Everything we have, anything we got  
It was given baby, it was given baby  
There ain't a thing we need that heaven forgot

It was given baby, it was given baby

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