

# "A Long December" by Counting Crows (Capo: 6th fret)

## [Intro]

G C Am C G C Am

## [Verse 1]

C G D Am  
A long December and there's reason to believe

C G C\*  
Maybe this year will be better than the last

Am C G D Am  
I can't remember the last thing that you said as you were leavin'

G C  
Now the days go by so fast

G C Am\*\*  
Then it's one more day up in the canyons

G C Am  
And it's one more night in Hollywood

G C Am G  
If you think that I could be forgiven... I wish you would.

## [Chorus]

G C Am C G C Am  
Na, na-na, na. Na, na-na, na-na, na-na, na, na. Na, na-na, na. Yeah...

## [Verse 2]

C G D  
The smell of hospitals in winter

Am C G C  
And the feeling that it's all a lot of oysters, but no pearls

Am C G D  
All at once you look across a crowded room

Am G C  
To see the way that light attaches to a girl

G C Am\*\*  
And it's one more day up in the canyons

G C Am  
And it's one more night in Hollywood

**G** **C** **Am** **G**  
If you think you might come to California... I think you should

**[Chorus]**

**G** **C** **Am** **C** **G** **C** **Am**  
Na, na-na, na. Na, na-na, na-na, na-na, na, na. Na, na-na, na. Yeah...

**[Bridge]**

**G C Am C G C Am**

**[Verse 3]**

**C** **G** **D** **Am**  
Drove up to Hillside Manor sometime after two a.m.

**C** **G** **C**  
And talked a little while about the year

**Am** **C** **G** **D**  
I guess the winter makes you laugh a little slower,

**Am** **G** **C**  
Makes you talk a little lower about the things you could not show her

**C** **G** **D** **Am**  
And it's been a long December and there's reason to believe

**C** **G** **C\***  
Maybe this year will be better than the last

**Am** **C** **G** **D**  
I can't remember all the times I tried to tell my myself

**Am** **G** **C**  
To hold on to these moments as they pass

**G** **C** **Am\*\***  
And it's one more day up in the canyons

**G** **C** **Am**  
And it's one more night in Hollywood

**G** **C** **Am** **G**  
It's been so long since I've seen the ocean... I guess I should

**[Chorus]**

**G** **C** **Am** **C** **G** **C** **Am**  
Na, na-na, na. Na, na-na, na-na, na-na, na, na. Na, na-na, na. Yeah...