

The Living Years Chords (Key of D)

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Intro

D **D** **G** **Gsus** **G**
Woah Wo---ah

Verse 1

D **G**
Every generation blames the one before
D **G** **Gsus** **G**
And all of their frustrations come beating on my door
Em
I know that I'm a prisoner, to all my father held so dear
G
I know that I'm a hostage to all his hopes and fears
A **G** **D**
I just wish I could have told him, in the living years

Chorus

D **G**
Say it loud, say it clear
Em **A** **D**
You can listen as well as you hear
D **G**
It's too late when we die
Em **A** **D**
To admit we don't see eye to eye

Verse 2

D **G**
Crumpled bits of paper, filled with imperfect thought
D **G** **Gsus** **G**
Stilted conversations, I'm afraid that's all we've got
Em
You say you just don't see it, he says it's perfect sense
G
You just can't get agreement in this present tense
A **G** **D**
We all talk a different language talking in defense

[Chorus]

[Intro]

Verse 3

D **G**
I wasn't there that morning when my father passed away
D **G** **Gsus** **G**
I didn't get to tell him all the things I had to say
Em
I think I caught his spirit later that same year
G
I'm sure I heard his echo in my baby's new born tears
A **G** **D**
I just wish I could have told him in the living years

[Chorus]

[Intro]

Ending

D	D	G	Gsus	G	D
Woah	Wo---ah		in the	living	years