All By Myself

Words & Music: Eric Carmen & Sergei Rachmaninoff

Yup. The tune is directly lifted from Sergei Rachmaninoff's Piano concerto #2 in Cm. The long album version even includes the cadenza - also lifted note for note.

A Dm6 A

When I was young I never needed anyone

Em7 F#sus4 F# Bm Dm A Dm E

And making love was just for fun; those days are gone.

Living alone I think of all the friends I've known

Em7 F#sus4 F# Bm Dm A

But, when I dial the telephone, nobody's home.

Em F#sus4 F#7 B Dm E7 A

CHORUS:

A C#m Em F#sus4 F# Bm E

All by myself, don't wanna be all by----- my-self, anymore.

Hard to be sure, sometimes I feel so insecure.

And love, so distant and obscure, remains the cure

Em F#sus4 F#7 B Dm E7 A

CHORUS: [2x]

INSTRUMENTAl:

E Db F#m B Em D G Am Bsus4 B

Em D G Am Bsus4 B

Em D G Fdim7 C# F#m Am B B7 Em Gm

A A7 Dm Fm G G#dim7 A

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CHORUS: [repeat 2-3x and out]