

Down by the Water

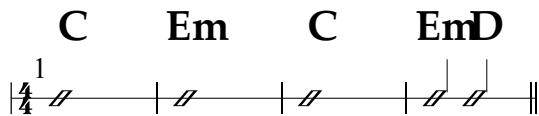
Decembrists

The King is Dead (2011)

♩ = 126

No Capo

Intro/Bridge



Em G
See this ancient riverbed
D C
See where all the follies led
Em D Em
Down by the water, (and) down by the old main drag

Em G
I was just some towhead teen
D C
Feelin' 'round for fingers to get in-between
Em D Em
Down by the water, down by the old main drag

Em D Em
The season rubs me wrong
Em D C
The summer swells anon

Em G
So knock me down, tear me up
D C
But I would bear it all broken just to fill my cup
Em D Em
Down by the water and down by the old main drag

| C | Em | C | Em D |

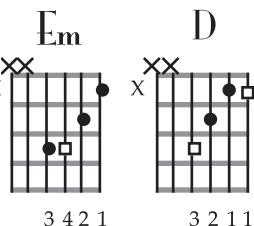
Em G
Sweet descend this rabble 'round
D C
the pretty little patter of a seaport town
Em D Em
Rolling in the water and rolling down the old main drag

Em G
All dolled up in gabardine
D C
The lash-flashing Leda of pier nineteen
Em D Em
Queen of the water and queen of the old main drag

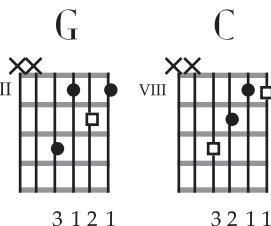
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| C | Em | C | Em D |

| Em | G | D | C | Em | D | Em | D | VII



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