

**Water On Snow**  
**Black (UK)**

Water On Snow - Black (Colin Vearncombe)  
Live electric version from the 2007 tour.

Intro - (sung without guitar)

Did I sleep? Do I dream of cold, silent water  
So deep and dark  
And the wires are singing our song?  
Our song

As we lay back and stared into cloudless skies  
And the stars up there  
The wires are singing our song  
The wires are singing our song

1st Verse -

**Am**                      **Dm**                      **Am**  
Your face, now so plain, once was so lovely

**Am**                      **F**                      **E**  
A beautiful refrain, dust with stars

**Am**                      **Dm**                      **Am**  
But your smile now in disguise became a flat line

**E7**                      **E**  
And to never love again like you did before

**E**  
Was all

Chorus -

**C**    **F**    **C**            **G**            **C**    **F**  
         **G**  
Why go on with it, why go on with it?

**F**                      **Em**                      **G**                      **Am**  
Why, to let it flow, like water on snow?

2nd Verse -

**Am**                      **Dm**                      **Am**

I know what you want, what you are thinking

Am F E  
To drift beyond the pain and out of reach

Am Dm Am  
To sit, be safe and warm inside your sorrow

**E7** **E**  
And listen to the slow, slow morse tapping of the rain

**E**  
But it says

Chorus -

C   F   C            G       C   F  
         G  
Why go on with it, why go on with it?

**F**                      **Em**                      **G**                      **Am**  
Why, to let it flow, like water on snow?

This is a great song and is also the first song I ve tried to transcribe (and done by  
so there may be some errors.  
I would be interested to hear from anyone that has the chords for any other  
Colin  
songs.  
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