

African Herbsman
Bob Marley

...AFRICAN HERBSMAN... by Bob Marley
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from African Herbsman (1973)

Intro:

Bb Gm (x2)

Verse 1:

Bb Gm
All twinklin lee,
Bb Gm
Can t see the right rose, when the streams a-bate.
Bb Gm Eb F
The old slave men, might grind slow, but it grinds fine, yeah.

Chorus 1:

Bb Gm
African Herbsman, why linger on?
Bb Gm
Just concen-trate, cos Heaven lives on.
Bb Gm
Greet-I-eth slave men will look with a-scorn,
Eb F (n.C) Bb
With a transplanted heart... (yes, how quick they had to part).
Gm
(They had to part)...

Verse 2:

Bb Gm
The re-membrance of to-day,
Bb Gm
Is the sad feelin of to-morrow.
Bb Gm (n.C)
(Yes, how quick they had to part...), oh yeah.

Chorus 2:

Bb Gm
African Herbsman, seize your time,
Bb Gm
I m takin il-lusion on the edge of my mind.

I m takin **Bb** losers down through my life, **Gm**
Eb Down through my life, yeah... (yes, how quick they had to part). **F (n.C)** **Bb**
Gm (They had to part)...

Verse 3:

Bb Dideh part, yes, they part, **Gm**
Bb The re-membrance of to-day. **Gm**
Bb (Yes, how quick they had to part...) **Gm (n.C)**

Chorus 3:

Bb African Herbsman, why linger on? **Gm**
Bb Just concen-trate, cos Heaven lives on. **Gm**
Bb Greet-I-eth slave men will look with a-scorn, **Gm**
Eb With a transplanted heart... (yes, how quick they had to part). **F (n.C)** **Bb**
Gm (They had to part)...

Verse 4:

Bb In re-membrance of to-day, **Gm**
Bb Brings sad feelings of to-morrow. **Gm**
Bb (Yes, how quick they had to part...)
Gm Lead me on, oh, Lord, I pray

Coda:

Bb (African Herbsman, African Herbsman), **Gm**
Bb (African Herbsman, African Herbsman). **Gm**

(Fade)

CHORD DIAGRAMS:

Bb **Gm** **Eb** **F**

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