

**Natty Dread**  
**Bob Marley**

...NATTY DREAD... by Bob Marley

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\*from Natty Dread (1974)\*

Intro:

**Bm7 C#m7 (x2)**

Chorus 1:

**A D F#m Bm**  
Dread, Natty Dread now, (Natty Dread),  
**A D F#m Bm**  
Dreadlock Congo Bongo I, (Natty Dread).  
**A D F#m Bm**  
Natty Dreadlock in a Babylon, (Natty Dread),  
**A D F#m Bm**  
A Dreadlock Congo Bongo I, (Natty Dread). Eh!

Verse 1:

**A D F#m Bm**  
Children get your culture, (Natty Dreadlock),  
**A D F#m Bm**  
And don t stay there and gesture, (Natty Dreadlock).  
**A D F#m Bm**  
Or the battle will be hotter, (Natty Dreadlock),  
**A D F#m Bm**  
And you won t get no supper, (Natty Dreadlock).

Chorus 2:

**A D F#m Bm**  
Dread, Natty Dread now, (Natty Dread),  
**A D F#m Bm**  
Dreadlock Congo Bongo I, (Natty Dread).  
**A D F#m Bm**  
Natty Dreadlock in a Babylon, (Natty Dread),  
**A D F#m Bm**  
Roots Natty, roots Natty! (Natty Dread).

Verse 2:

**A D F#m Bm**  
Then I walk up the first street, (Natty Dreadlock),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
And then I walk up the second street to see, (Natty Dreadlock).

**A** **E** **F#m** **Bm**  
Then I trod on through third street, (Natty Dreadlock),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
And then I talk to some Dread on fourth street, (Natty Dreadlock).

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Natty Dreadlock in a fifth street, (Natty Dreadlock),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
And then I skip one fence to sixth street, (Natty Dreadlock).

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
I ve got to reach seventh street, (Natty Dreadlock).

Chorus 3:

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Natty Dreadlock Bingy Bongo I, (Natty Dread),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Natty dread, Natty Dread, now, (Natty Dread),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Roots Natty Congo I, (Natty Dread).

Break:

**Bm7**

Oh, Natty, Natty,  
**C#m7**  
Natty 21,000 miles away from home, yeah.

**Bm7**

Oh, Natty, Natty,  
**C#m7**  
And that s a long way, for Natty to be from home.

Verse 3:

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Don t care what the world seh, (Natty head),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
I n I couldn t never go astray, (Natty head).

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Just like a bright and sunny day; (Natty head),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Oh, we re gonna have things our way, (Natty head).

Chorus 4:

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Natty Dread, Natty Dreadlock, (Natty Dreadlock),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Dreadlock Congo Bongo I, (Natty Dreadlock).

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**  
Don t care what the world seh, (Natty Dreadlock),

**A** **D** **F#m** **Bm**

I n I gonna have things our way, (Natty Dreadlock).

**A**                    **D**                    **F#m**    **Bm**  
If I head Natty inna the red, (Natty Dreadlock),

**A**                    **D**                    **F#m**    **Bm**  
If I head Natty inna the red, (Natty Dreadlock).

**A**                    **D**                    **F#m**    **Bm**  
Natty Dread, Natty Dreadlock...

(Fade)

CHORD DIAGRAMS:

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<b>Bm7</b>	<b>C#m7</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>F#m</b>	<b>Bm</b>
EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE
x24232	x46454	577655	x57775	244222	x24432

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