C/G

D7

I'm just a blind man and you can't see

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Fences
Chris Frisina
[Verse 1]
Well I was stumbling on stones
When I came across your bones
And my reflection in the creek
Em
You know you gave me quite a scare
                      C/G
How long have you been there?
        D7
                G
You're a regular antique
[Verse 2]
C/G
            D7
If you don't mind I'd like to know
     D7
Do you rest up high or down below?
    D7 G
When the stream overflows
Where will you go?
Where will you go?
[Verse 1]
Em
And I was plucking on my strings
                     C/G
When I heard the royal kings
                 D7
And they were all fighting about the land
Em
What's yours was yours
But now is mine man
                  C/G
Can't you read the sign
         D7
Take your flag from out my sand
[Verse 2]
C/G
        D7
So pardon me your royalty
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C/G
          D7
That this just my favorite tree
          \mathbf{E}\mathbf{m}
So let me be
              D7
Please let me be
[Chorus]
Because I said life
        C/G
Is not a problem to be solved
       C/G G
It is a gift to be enjoyed
            Em
But all the curses I avoid
They wander back
             \mathbf{E}\mathbf{m}
And the more fences I put up
I feel trapped
                     Cmaj9/B
          C/G
                                 Am
You know I give and I give and I give
           C/G
                      Cmaj9/B
You know I give and I give and I give
      D7
And I get nothing back
[Instrumental]
Em G C/G D G Em G C/G D G
[Verse 1]
Em
And we were both eating mighty fine
                     C/G
At a restaurant so devine
       D7
That my taste buds couldn't bear
Em
They brought me out some fancy wine
There was flavored water
             C/G
It was lemon lime
          D7
With some shiny silverware
[Verse 2]
C/G
              D7
In my mind we dine and ditch
C/G
          D7
Leave the cooks all the tips
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C/G
           D7
                                       Em
                        G
I must have lied when I told you I was rich
            D7
I could only wish
[Verse 1]
Em
You were clutching to my hand
Through the restaurant as we ran
For shelter from the swarm
With my unfolding master plan
                               C/G
You know I felt just like Peter Pan
You got the tights, I got the sword
[Verse 2]
C/G
           D7
And I don't mind if you recite
C/G D7
Shakespeare all damn night
C/G
           D7
And when we argue about who is wrong or right
              D7
You're usually right
[Chorus]
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                 G
      C/G
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