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Capo 2

Chords below are relative to capo

D	A	G	Bm
e -0-	e -3-	e -x-	e -0-
B -1-	B -0-	B -x-	B -1-
G -0-	G -0-	G -2-	G -2-
D -2-	D -0-	D -3-	D -2-
A -3-	A -2-	A -x-	A -0-
E -3-	E -3-	E -1-	E -0-

D	A	G	A
Out on the corner	of what I want,	and what I intend	to get
D	A	G	A
day drinking	and dreaming	of you, I let	
D	A	G	A
the ashtray	smoke my last	cigarette	

Once I had a casual acquaintance with my impending doom
years ago he promised me some day soon
I d howl at the moon from room to room

G	D
I ain t transcending	much of nothing
A	D
I ve been down	in it, I ain t free

Bm	G	D			
Weren t no experiment	- these seven years	they went			
A	D	(progressively down to G)	C#	B	A G
like a life	out of me				

Clowning on the corner of almost gone but maybe not just yet
there s still a little left to pawn and the bones aren t set
The cast is slack, the plaster s wet

Stepping up the escalator singing hell I am out of here
past the predetermined terminals of tears
the wings are warm, the runway s clear

I ain t transcending much of nothing
I m still down in it, I ain t free

Weren t no experiment - these seven years they went
like a life out of me

Maybe all the world s a hollow recreation, my desperate bretheren
hallowed blue hallucination we play to win
put your right foot out, put your right foot in

But it s a useful little illusion that ll lose you for a song
in the beautiful confusion you ve been down and counting on

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I ain t transcending nothing
I m still down in it, I ain t free
weren t no experiment - hell every tear was ran
like a life out of me

Out on the corner what I want, what I intend to get
day drinking and dreaming of you, I let
the ashtray smoke my last cigarette