

**American Dreaming**

**Dead Can Dance**

Ahhh Finally I have had the guts to do it. My first tab!!!

I have been working on this tab for about six months.

I would love to know what you think or any additions to this tab to make it sound perfect!

Why are Dead Can Dance tabs so scarce anyways?

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The timing is all in the song- it seems to move faster as it goes along!

Uhhhh- this song makes me soooo happy.

Intro

<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Bbsus</b> (without <b>Eb</b> string held throughout song)
<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Eb Ebsus Eb</b>
<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Bbsus</b>
<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Eb Ebsus Eb</b>

<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Bbsus</b>
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I need my conscience to keep watch over me

<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Eb Ebsus Eb</b>
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To protect me from myself

<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Bbsus</b>
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So I can wear honesty like a crown on my head

<b>C/G</b>	<b>Cm</b>	<b>C/G</b>	<b>D</b> (quick move to back Asus before switching back to C/G throughout song)
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When I walk into the promised land

<b>C#/G</b>	<b>C#m</b>	<b>C#/G</b>	<b>Bbsus</b>
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We ve been too long American dreaming

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
And I think we've all lost the way

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
Forlorn somnambulistic

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
maniacal in the dark

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
I'm in love with an American girl

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb Ebsus Eb**  
Well she's my best friend

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
I love her surreptitious smile

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
That hides the pain within her

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
And we'll go dancing in the rings of laughter

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
And live along by the shores

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
Forlorn in the rounds of raputurous

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
live along for the loss ( my best guess on lyrics)

**Eb Ebsus Eb Bbsus C#/G C#m C#/G C#/G C#M C#/G#**  
Yeah-ee, on the lea the rising wind blows

**Eb Ebsus Eb Bbsus C#/G C#m C#/G C#/G C#M C#/G#**  
Fay-hee, on the lea the rising wind blows

**C#/G C#M C#/G**  
How long how long?

**C#/G C#m C#/G C#m C#/G**  
C/G Cm Asus ( very fast \_ listen to song \_ fingers should be bleeding by now)  
**C#/G C#m C#/G C#m C#/G**  
**C#/G C#m Eb**

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
Forlorn in the rounds of allegiance

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
says we ve left behind ( again best guess!)

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
Turned back by the foot of the doorway

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
Never lost and found

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
We ve been too long American dreaming  
**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
I think we ve all lost the heart

**C#/G C#m C#/G Bbsus**  
Forlorn somnambulistic

**C#/G C#m C#/G Eb**  
maniacal in the dark

**Eb Ebsus Eb Bbsus C#/G C#m C#/G C#/G C#M C#/G#**  
Yeah-ee, on the lea the rising wind blows  
**Eb Ebsus Eb Bbsus C#/G C#m C#/G**  
Fay-hee, on the lea the rising wind blows

**C#/G C#M C#/G**  
How long how long?

**C#/G C#m C#/G C#m C#/G**  
C/G Cm Asus (put tape on bloody stumps!)  
**C#/G C#m C#/G C#m C#/G**  
**C#/G C#m Eb**