

**This Love Will Carry**  
**Dougie MacLean**

This Love Will Carry By Dougie MacLean [Key: E; Capo IV; standard tuning]

Intro:

**C#** **F#** **C#** **F#**

Verse 1:

**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **Fm7**  
It s a thin line that leads us and keeps us all from shame  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **G#maj7**  
And dark clouds quickly gather along the way we came  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **Fm7**  
There s fear out on the mountain and death out on the plains  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **G#**  
There s heartbreak and heart-ache in the shadow of the flames

Chorus (x2):

**C#** **Bbm** **C#** **F#**  
This love will carry, this love will carry me  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **F#**  
I know this love will carry me

Verse 2:

**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **Fm7**  
The strongest web will tangle, the sweetest bloom will fall  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **G#maj7**  
And somewhere in the distance we try and catch it all  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **Fm7**  
Success lasts for a moment and failure s always near  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **G#**  
You look down at your blistered hands as turns another year

Chorus (x2):

**C#** **Bbm** **C#** **F#**  
This love will carry, this love will carry me  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **F#**  
I know this love will carry me

Verse 3:

**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **Fm7**  
These days are golden, they must not waste away  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **G#maj7**  
Time is like that flower and soon it will decay  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **Fm7**  
And though by storms we re weakened, and uncertainty is sure  
**C#** **Bbm** **F#** **G#**  
And like the coming of the dawn it s ours forevermore

Chorus (x2):

**C#**                      **Bbm**              **C#**                                      **F#**

This love will carry, this love will carry me

**C#**                      **Bbm**                                      **F#**              **F#**

I know this love will carry me