

Come Down In Time
Elton John

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Subject: CRD: Come Down In Time - Elton John (Al Kooper)
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Come Down In Time - Taupin/John

I heard this song performed by Al Kooper s band in the late 70 s.
I picked up the chords from listening it on the radio. I may not be
the actual chords, but represent an amazing simulation!

The fret and root string are in parenthesis after the chord itself, to
give you an idea of how I play it.

Am7 (V-6) Bm7(VII-6)
In the quiet, silent seconds I

Am7 (V-6) Bm7(VII-6)
I turned off the light switch and I

Cmaj7 (VIII-6) Bm7(VII-6)
I came down to meet you

Dm7 (V-5) E7sus4 E7 (II-4)
in the half-light the moon left while a

Am7 (V-6) Bm7(VII-6)
cluster of night jars sang some

Am7 (V-6) Bm7(VII-6)
songs out of tune.

Cmaj7 (VIII-6) Bm7(VII-6)
A mantel of bright light shone

Dm7 (V-5) E7sus4 E7 (II-4)
down from her (a?) room

Chorus:

Fmaj7 (VIII-5) Em7 (VII-5) Dm7 (V-5) Cmaj7 (VIII-6)

Come down in time, I still hear her say

Fmaj7 (VIII-5) Em7 (VII-5) Dm7 (V-5) Cmaj7 (VIII-6)
So clear in my ear, like it was today.

Fmaj7 (VIII-5) Ab (VIII-6) Cmaj(VIII-6) Bm7 (VII-6) Am7 (V-6) Gm7 (III-6)
Come down in time was the message she gave

Fmaj7 (III-4) Ebmaj7(I-4) Dm7 (open) F (I-6) C/G D
Come down in time and I ll meet you half way.

Well, I don t know if I should have

heard her as yet but a

a true love like ours is a
a hard love to get and I

I ve walked most all the way and I

I ain t heard her call and I

I m getting to thinking if she s

coming at all.

Chorus

(In Al Kooper s version, they improvise over an up-tempo Am7 and Bm7 here)

Am7 (V-6) Bm7(VII-6)
There are women and women and

Am7 (V-6) Bm7(VII-6)
some hold you tight while

Cmaj7 (VIII-6) Bm7(VII-6)
some leave you counting the

Em7 (VII-5) Bm7(VII-6) **F C/G D**
stars in the night

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Subject: CRD/LRY Come Down In Time (Elton John)

someone asked for this, my favorite song.

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Intro: **Am7 Am7 D D** (2x)

verse:

Am7	D	Am7	D
Cmaj7	Bm7	Dm	E7
Am7	D	Am7	D
Cmaj7	Bm7	Dm	E7

chorus:

F	Em	Dm	C
F	Em	Dm	C
F	F0	C	Am
F	Gm/Bb	F/A	F C D

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verse:

| Am7 | D | Am7 | D |
| Cmaj7 | Bm7 | Am7 | Bm7 |

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