

Aiko

Emmy the Great

G C D G C D
Aiko, geography has got the better of us again

G
I know you wanna go

C D
And I am to be singing

G C D
To the tail of an aeroplane

Em A
So I fold these pieces of gold

D D7
Into animals so I can fashion a chain

Em A D
That will bridge the gap accross these continents

G C D G C D
Aiko, your fatherless smile has been summoned to other shores

G C D
There s a man over there with a gentleman s bow

G C D
Who invites you to take to the floor

Em
Pack your traveling case

A
With your ribbons and lace

D D7
For his blood must be furnished with excellent taste

Em A D
But it might burn a hole into your paper face

Em (1stroke) Em (1stroke)
And so you run towards the things you haven t got

A D
Just to say goodbye again

Em (1stroke) Em (1stroke)
But do you think of me as he unlocks your knees

A D
At the Terrace Garden?

G C D
Pretty pictures in the window blinds

G C D

Looking out looks so good with the winter behind

G C D

Like it is playing a banjo to a Tennessee line

G C D

And the reeds are like cowboys perfectly aligned

Em A

Does the sky over Tokyo know

D

How a river can flow like the stroke

D7

Of a violin bow?

Em A D

Like a hand will run across the milky sky

Em (1 stroke)

But you can take these trees

Em (1 stroke)

And this summer breeze

A D

On this stupid looking day

Em (1 stroke) Em (1 stroke)

And you can send it all to the Japanese

A D

Now my love has gone away.

(Japanese verse) (?)

Em - A - D

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Em A

And if you see Aiko

D D7

Or Sayee

Em

Let her know

A D

That she dances in my dreams.