

## Halloween Snow

Ezra Furman & The Harpoons

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HALLOWEEN SNOW - Ezra Furman and the Harpoons  
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Tuning: Standard

A couple notes for this one:

(1) I get that hammer-on sound at the beginning by strumming the open strings and hammering on with an entire first position A chord. For theory geeks, since I don't really hit the bottom E open (Em11), I'm calling it A9sus4.

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e--0-0---|  
B--0h2---|  
G--0h2---|  
D--0h2---|  
A--0-0---|  
E--x-x---|
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(2) It also sounds to me like he's either holding the G in the intro for 3 beats and the D for 1, or, going from G (2 beats) to Dsus4 (1 beat) to D (1 beat). I'm putting the Dsus4 progression because it sounds better to me for the intro, and the other progression for the verse. Whichever you decide, just keep in mind the timing.

(Intro)  
A9sus4 **A** A9sus4 **A**  
**G Dsus4 D**

**A G Dsus4 D**

(Verse)  
**A**  
Baby, you're not afraid of flying  
**G D**  
You just think you are  
**A**  
It's all mental, darling  
**G D**  
Think about how safe we are

Pretty soon we ll be in Japan  
We can get everything done  
And not too long after that we ll be married  
Won t that be fun?

(Pre-Chorus)

**Bm**

She says, Look around this flight

**E**

Look at all these people goin to Japan

**Bm**

They seem mostly black

**E**

I don t see a single asian

What d the pilot just say?  
We re headed to Zaire?  
Somehow we must have made a mistake  
We shouldn t be here

(Chorus)

**A**

**F#m**

Oh no, I shoulda known by the Halloween snow

**Bm**

That this trip just could not go away

**D**

I ll be lost in the jungle with my fiancÃ©

**A**

**F#m**

Oh damn, I should be dating a more confident man

**Bm**

I says, Honey please don t be cruel

**D**

Words come out of your mouth into a puddle of drool

(Repeat Intro Progression)

Alright!

(Repeat Verse Progression)

What are we gonna do when we land, she says  
We re not prepared for this  
Baby, stop talking so much  
It s making me nervous

How about instead of being afraid of flying  
And thinkin bout our imminent time  
You sneak off five minutes after me  
Let s go to the airplane bathroom

(Repeat Pre-Chorus Progression)

She says, Honey not now  
It s the wrong time  
My lips began to move and I said  
Baby, I ll give you the wrong time

It s two in the morning  
And we re on the wrong flight  
But when we re lost in Africa  
It ll be alright

(Repeat Chorus Progression)

I think I wanna see the purple and pink  
Of the sunset shining through the trees  
I m never gonna learn to speak Japanese  
I know I wanna stand in the Halloween snow  
But I don t know how I ended up here  
And everything is happenin too soon this year

(Repeat Intro Progression)

Oh, too soon!  
We re only kids!

(Bridge)

**A C#m Bm Dm**

**A C#m Bm**

We re touching down

**Dm**

And maybe I don t love you

**A C#m**

The ground looks so brown

**Bm Dm**

This can t be Japan, I know it can t

This is scarier  
Than a hundred million plane wrecks  
You seem so strange and I wonder  
I achingly wonder what s gonna happen next

(Repeat Intro Progression)

Alright! Oh, yes!

(End on **D**)