The Man In The Water
Fairport Convention

[Intro]
Dm G   Em F
Dm G   Em F   Am

[Verse]
Am
There s a man in the river
Am
Policemen standing
        G
In a circle, smoking
            Am
Round the man
Am
Man in the water
                        G   **C**
Who sees nothing but circles

[Verse]
                            G
Could have been a fisherman
                                Am
Could have dived for pearls
                                        C
Could have found the answer in the watery world
                            G
Could have been a builder
                        Am
Could have found the key
                                        C   **Dm G**
Could have run with the river and then into the sea

[Chorus]
        Em   **F**   **Dm G**
Did he run with the river?
        Em   **F**   **Am**
Did he run with the river?

[Verse]
Am
No more questions
Am
Just the river s answer
        G   **Am**
For the man in the water
Am
His wife at the window

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Am
Cursing the cameras
         G                      C
And the man in the water


[Verse]
                                G
Could have been a fisherman
                            Am
Could have dived for pearls
                                          C
Could have found the answer in the watery world
                          G
Could have been a builder
                            Am
Could have found the key
                                        C      Dm G
Could have run with the river and then into the sea


[Chorus]
        Em            F        Dm G
Did he run with the river?
        Em            F        Dm G
Did he run with the river?
        Em            F        Dm G
Did he run with the river?
        Em            F        Am
Did he run with the river?


[Bridge]
                              G
Is there a light at the window
G
A candle burning
G
A young girl turning
      Em          F       G C
In a heart gone cold


[Instrumental]
                          G    Am
Could have been a fisherman....


Dm G    Em F
Dm G    Em F
Dm G    Em F
Dm G    Em F      Am



[Verse]
Am
Some dark Sunday
Am
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The women walking
G                    Am
Down by the water
Am
They speak of a diary
Am
The missing pages
        G      C
And the man


[Verse]
                                G
Could have been a fisherman
                                Am
Could have dived for pearls
                                        C
Could have found the answer in the watery world
                        G
Could have been a builder
                        F
Could have found the key
                                        Dm G
And the way I feel tonight, suppose it could have been me


[Chorus]
     Em            F      Dm G
Go to run with the river
     Em            F      Dm G
Go to run with the river
     Em            F      Dm G
Go to run with the river
     Em            F      Dm G
Go to run with the river
     Em            F      Dm G
Go to run with the river
     Em            F
Go to run with the river
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