

Mad Man Moon
Genesis

Intro

4/4 3/4 4/4 3/4 4/4
| **Bm** | **E** | **C#m** | **D** | **F#madd9** |

Verse

F#m/D **E/C**
Was it summer when the river ran dry,
C#7sus4 **B/B** **C#7** | **F#add9** **F#** |
Or was it just another dam.
F#m9/D **F#m/D** **E/C**
When the evil of a snowflake in June
A/B **C#m** **Dadd9**
Could still be a source of relief.

Bridge

F#m9 **F#m** **F#m7** **F#m6**
O how I love you, I once cried long ago,
F#m9 **F#m** **F#m7** **F#m6**
But I was the one who decided to go.
Bm9 **Em7** **Gdim7**
To search beyond the final crest,
F#m7 **C#m** | **Dadd9** | **Dadd9** **E** |
Though I'd heard it said just birds could dwell so high.

Verse

F#m/D **E/C**
So I pretended to have wings for my arms
C#7sus4 **B/B** **C#7** | **F#add9** **F#** |
And took off in the air.
F#m9/D **F#m/D** **E/C**
I flew to places which the clouds never see,
A/B **C#m** **Dadd9**
Too close to the deserts of sand,

Bridge

F#m9 **F#m** **F#m7** **F#m6**
Where a thousand mirages, the shepherds of lies
F#m9 **F#m** **F#m7** **F#m6**
Forced me to land and take a disguise.
Bm9 **Em7** **Gdim7**
I would welcome a horse's kick to send me back
F#m7 **C#m** | **Dadd9** | **Dadd9** **E** |

If I could find a horse not made of sand.

F# **G#m**
If this desert s all there ll ever be
G#m7(5b) **G** **D**
Then tell me what becomes of me.
E/C **C/C**
A fall of rain?
G **Gdim7** **C** **G**
That must have been another of your dreams,
Bm/E **G** **C#madd11/A** **C#m7/E** | **Bmaj7/E** **F#9** | **F#** | **Bmaj7/D** **F#9/D** | **F#/D** |
A dream of mad man moon.

Instrumental Interlude

Middle 8 mostly in 7/8 time

Eb **G#/Db**
Hey man,
Eb **C#/Db** **G#/Db**
I m the sand man.
Eb **G#/Db**
And boy have I news for you;
Eb **C#/Db** **G#/Db** **Eb** **G#m/Db**
They re gonna throw you in gaol
Eb **C#/Db**
And you know they can t fail
Eb **G#m/Db** **Eb** **C#/Db**
cause sand is thicker than blood.
F# **B/E**
But a prison in sand
F# **C#/E**
Is a haven in hell,
B/E **F#** **B/E** **F#**
For a gaol can give you a goal
| 2/4 | 7/8
B/E **C#/E** **Eb** **F** **G**
And a goal can find you a role
C/F **D/F** **G** **C/F**
On a muddy pitch in Newcastle,
D/F **G** **C/F**
Where it rains so much
D/F **G** **C/F** **D/F**
You can t wait for a touch of
| 2/4 | 4/4
E/F# **F#/G#** **F7sus4**
Sun and sand, sun and sand ...

Verse

F#m/D E/C
 Within the valley of shadowless death
 C#7sus4 B/B C#7 | F#add9 F# |
 They pray for thunderclouds and rain,
 F#m9/D F#m/D E/C
 But to the multitude who stand in the rain
 A/B C#m Dadd9
 Heaven is where the sun shines.

Bridge

F#m9 F#m F#m7 F#m6
 The grass will be greener till the stems turn to brown
 F#m9 F#m F#m7 F#m6
 And thoughts will fly higher till the earth brings them down.
 Bm9 Em7 Gdim7
 Forever caught in desert lands
 F#m7 C#m | Dadd9 | Dadd9 E |
 One has to learn to disbelieve the sea.

F# G#m
 If this desert s all there ll ever be
 G#m7(5b) G D
 Then tell me what becomes of me.
 E/C C/C
 A fall of rain?
 G Gdim7 C G
 That must have been another of your dreams,
 Bm/E G C#madd11/A C#m7/E | Bmaj7/E F#9 | F# | Bmaj7/D F#9/D | F#/D |
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Interlude

Bm7 | % | D/D | % | Ebm
 (break)

Coda

4/4 3/4 4/4 3/4 4/4
 | G#m | C# | Bbm | B | Ebm | % | Ebm