

War Rugs
Indigo Girls

WAR RUGS (words and music by Amy Ray)

capo on 4th fret. standard tuning

Dm **Am**

War rugs in the hallway

Bb **F**

Prayer rugs on the wall

Gm

Who s walkin tall?

Bb

I should be kneelin

[Bridge]

Soldier girl, oh, soldier boy

Tell me what to say

When I see you at Christmas leave

Tattooed and hazed

[Chorus]

F **Bb**

Oh, we re all growin up together

F

We re all makin a mark on it

Bb

We re all damnin the consequences

Bb **F**

I want to understand

Gm **F**

The soul you have in there

Young Egypt seized the moment

And brought that bastard down

You ve got technology

And you ve got archeology

We treated you like hunters

Until you kicked the goal

Now we re claimin you for our team

Cause what do we know?

Oh, we re all growin up together

We re all watchin the video

We re all damnin the consequences

I want to understand

The soul you have in there

[Instrumental Interlude]

Soldier boy, oh, soldier girl
Tell me what to say
When I see you at Christmas leave

Oh, we re all growin up together
We re all takin it pass or fail
We re all damnin the consequences
I want to understand
The soul it takes to stand
For something bigger than
Myself...