

Swim

Jack's Mannequin

i made this listening to the live version, and it s just the chords... so w/e i mean the cd s not out for another 2 months, but this is the basic gist... aslo note is my first tab ever, all by ear.

*note: the Bb s in parenthesis (Bb) means it s optional, the song will work with or them.

Chords: (i play the basic bar chords)

F: x68886

Bb: 466544

C: 688766

Intro: **F** (C) **Bb**
F (C) **Bb**

verse-1

F
You gotta swim
(C) **Bb**
Swim for your life
F
Swim for the music

That saves you
(C) **Bb**
When you re not so sure you ll survive

F
You gotta swim
(C) **Bb**
Swim when it hurts

F
The whole world is watching

You haven t come this far
(C) **Bb**
To fall off the earth

C
The currents will pull you
Bb
Away from your love

Just keep your head above

Chorus

F
I found a tidal wave
C **Bb**
Begging to tear down the door
F
Memories like bullets
C **Bb**
They fired at me from a gun
F **C**
Cracking me open now
F
I swim to brighter days
C **Bb**
In spite of the absense of sun
F **C**
Choking on salt water
Bb **F** **C**
I m not giving in

F (C) **Bb**
You gotta swim

F (C) **Bb**

Verse-2

F
You gotta swim
(C) **Bb**
Tonight s the moment
F
Swim for your family

Your mothers your sisters
(C) **Bb**
Your brothers your friends
F
You gotta swim
(C) **Bb**
For wars without cause
F
Swim for these lost politicians
(C) **Bb**
Who don t see their greed is a flaw
C
The currents will pull us
Bb
Away from our love

Just keep your head above

Chorus

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I found a tidal wave
C **Bb**
Begging to tear down the door
F
Memories like bullets
C **Bb**
They fired at me from a gun
F **C**
Cracking me open now
F
I swim to brighter days
C **Bb**
In spite of the absense of sun
F **C**
Choking on salt water
Bb **F** **C** (**F C**)
I m not giving in
Bb **F** **C**
I m not giving in

F (**C**) **Bb**
Swim
F (**C**) **Bb**

Verse-3

F
You gotta swim
(**C**) **Bb**
Swim in the dark
F
There s an ocean to drift in
(**C**) **Bb**
Feel the tide shifting away from this war
F
Yeah you gotta swim
(**C**) **Bb**
Don t let yourself sink
F
Just follow the horizon
(**C**) **Bb**
I promise it s not as far as you think
C **Bb**
Currents will drag us away from our love
F (**C**) **Bb**
Just keep your head above

Ending

Just keep your head above

F (C) **Bb**

Swim

Just keep your head above

F (C) **Bb**

Swim

Just keep your head above

F (C) **Bb** (end on C)

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Far from perfect, again, first tab for me, and it s all by ear off live performances.

thanks for givin it a chance, great song. get back to me about it
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btw, names andrew, enjoy