Take This Rain
Jackson Browne

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Take This Rain
Words & Music by Jackson Browne from the CD I m Alive

[Intro]
F6 Bb C x2

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           F                          Bb                 C
It used to be there were two sets of footprints in the sand
               F                      Bb              C
And there were two silhouettes in the sunset hand in hand
       Bb                C           F   F/F#      Bb/E
But now here beside the sea are the footprints of three
                                   C
And I can t find my own among the directions they re all going
            F                Bb                 C
Baby it s alright break this chain of love and madness
       F               Bb                C
It s alright take this rain as your new address
       Bb               C           Bb               C
It s alright take this rain it s alright take this rain
                 F                   Bb               C
 cause I ve been running all over creation out of my mind
          F                        Bb                 C
Trying to keep our hearts beating together all of the time
      Bb             C               F   F/F#       Bb/E
Going crazier every day watching our love slipping away
                                                      C
 cause you re the only home I ve ever wanted and the only light I ve known
                F                Bb                 C
But baby it s alright break this chain of love and madness
       F               Bb                C
It s alright take this rain as your new address
       Bb               C           Bb               C
It s alright take this rain it s alright take this rain
                   F
You re going to be free
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[Solo]

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e|---------------------------------------3---------------------|
B|---------------------------1s3s1-0-0-3---3h5-5-3-1-3s5-3h5-3-|
G|-2h4-4p2h4-4s5-5-4-4s2-2-2-----------------------------------|
D|-------------------------------------------------------------|
A|-------------------------------------------------------------|
E|-------------------------------------------------------------|
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Bb           Eb                      F                       Bb
Some people go through life seeing just what they want to see
         Gm              Dm                Eb                F
Take the way I went on believing you might still believe in me
    Bb                  Eb           F                       Bb
And I still want the love I always thought our love could be
    G#                       Eb             C
But some things can t be changed take this rain
                F                    Bb                    C
You re going to hear my voice in the morning calling your name
            F                 Bb                    C
And know my love and my desperation are one in the same
              Bb                  C             F  F/F#          Bb/E
And where our footprints used to be there ll be nothing but the sea
                                                          C
And the tide and the wind and the open sky and the unbroken horizon
            F                Bb                 C
Baby it s alright break this chain of love and madness
       F               Bb                 C
It s alright take this pain and all your sadness
       F               Bb              C
It s alright make this rain into your fortress
       Bb               C           Bb               C
It s alright take this rain it s alright take this rain
       Bb               C                       F    Bb C
It s alright take this rain you re going to be free
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F6 Bb C

In the intro & at the end the G6 to C is an almost immediate change & C is played for about 2 measures &
in the intro, verse, chorus & end is played (if you want to) as you hammer on the 1st finger on the
2nd fret, A string.

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   F6
e|--0--|
B|--0--|
G|--0--|
D|--0--|
A|--2--|
E|--3--|
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