

Shed A Little Light
James Taylor

SHED A LITTLE LIGHT by James Taylor
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Fdim **Fm#**
Let us turn our thoughts today
Bm **A** **E**
To martin luther king
A **A/C#**
And recognize that there are ties between us
D **Fdim** **F#m**
All men and women
E **A/C#** **D**
Living on the earth
Bm **A** **E** **Fm7**
Ties of hope and love
Bm7 **A** **E**
Sister and brotherhood
A **A/C#**
That we are bound together
D **Fdim** **F#m**
In our desire to see the world become
E **A/C#** **D**
A place in which our children
A **Bm** **A** **E**
Can grow free and strong
A **A/C#**
We are bound together
D **Fdim** **F#m**
By the task that stands before us
E **A/C#** **D**
And the road that lies ahead
A **Bm** **A** **E**
We are bound and we are bound

F#m7 **E/G#** **A** **Bbdim** **Bm** **A/C#** **D** **Fdim**
There is a feeling like the clenching of a fist
F#m7 **E/G#** **A** **Bbdim** **Bm** **A/C#** **D** **Fdim**
There is a hunger in the center of the chest
F#m7 **E/G#** **A** **Bbdim** **Bm** **A/C#** **D** **Fdim**
There is a passage through the darkness and the mist
F#m7 **E/G#** **A** **Bbdim** **Bm** **A/C#** **D**
And though the body sleeps the heart will never rest

E **A** **C#m** **F#m** **Bm-A-E**

Shed a little light, oh lord

Bm E

So that we can see

A C#m F#m Bm-A-E

Just a little light, oh lord

Bm E

Wanna stand it on up

A C#m F#m Bm-A-E

Stand it on up, oh lord

Bm

Wanna walk it on down

E A A/C# D

Shed a little light, oh lord

Em D/F# A Bm7

Can t get no light from the dollar bill

Em D/F# A Bm7

Don t give me no light from a tv screen

Em D/F# C F#7

When I open my eyes I wanna drink my fill

Bm7 E

From the well on the hill

F#m7 D

do you know what I mean?

E A C#m F#m Bm-A-E

Shed a little light, oh lord

Bm E

So that we can see

A C#m F#m Bm-A-E

Just a little light, oh lord

Bm E

Wanna stand it on up

A C#m F#m Bm-A-E

Stand it on up, oh lord

Bm

Wanna walk it on down

A A/C# A/D E 2x

Shed a little light, oh lord

F#m7 E/G# A Bbdim Bm A/C# D Fdim

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Ties of hope and love

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