This Old Dark Machine James Vincent McMorrow

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Tabbed by: Gavjones

Tuning: Standard

Capo on 3

I took these chords from a live video I saw, so it might not be exactly the same as on the album.

E A D G B E

Am 0-0-2-2-1-0-

**Am7** 0-0-2-0-1-0-

**Em** 0-2-2-0-0-0-

 $\mathbf{D}$  0-0-0-2-3-2-

C 3-3-2-0-1-0-

G/C 3-2-0-0-1-0-

[Fill]

e | -----|

B | -1----|

G | -0--00--|

D | -0--00-- |

A | -0--00--|

E|-0h333--|

Am Fill

[Verse 1]

Am Em

Spring it came upon us, every insect filled the air

D Am Fill

Dropped their wings upon my brother, cast their shadows on his hair

Am Em

If we follow where they re leading, We will surely come before

O Am Am'

some unseen and wondrous magic, made of visions to explore

[Chorus]

D Am Am7

Near the town where we were living, was an old abandoned farm

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D
                                                            Am7
                                 Am
Every year we d plant an orchid, in the shelter of it s arm
                                Am
To protect us from the madness, of the future still to come
It will be like this forever, I will keep you safe from harm
[Bridge]
Am Em D Am Fill
[Verse 2]
Am
Then they caught us in the summer, dressed in fathers finest clothes
                               Am
You the hat he wore to market, I the jacket filled with holes
I ve been searching all these hours, for a hand as pale as bone
                                        Am
                                                                       Am7
That would keep the strongest sunlight, and reflect the brightest stone
[Chorus]
                                    Am
                                                                  Am7
Near the town where we were living, was a warm and fragrant smell
                              Am
Of the orchid we had planted, now a forest tall and well
What a statue to our greatness, what a story all will tell
They ll remember us forever, they ll remember where we fell
[Bridge]
Am Em D Am Fill
Am
This old dark machine, it shakes and it shudders
Pulls to the left, then dies near the gutter
But still in the road, the traffic is silent
The people they stare, and then they turn violent
If they should touch, the hem of your dress
I would rise like a lion, strike out again
The faithful they wait, the faithful they wait
G/C
By the sign
[Chorus]
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D	Am	Am7
Near the town where we were livi	ng, came a loud	and joyous sound
D	Am	Am7
As the earth and all her beauty,	picked us up fr	om off the ground
D	Am	Am7
Carried far across the mountain, to a kingdom never bound		
Em	C	D
We will live like this forever, I will love you, I will love you		
[Bridge](x2)		
Am Em D Am		
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