

Moths
Jethro Tull

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Intro:

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E           A G           Bm           Bm A   Em           Bm           Bm A Em
0----2-0----3-----2--7-5-7-----0---0-----10-9-10s-----0
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C           C Cadd9 C           Am           Am Asus4 Am
The leaded window opened           to move the dancing candle flame
Dm           Dm Dsus2 Dm F C G           F G Am
And the first Moths of summer           suicidal came, oh, suicidal came.
C           C Cadd9 C           Am           Am Asus4 Am
And a new breeze chattered           in its May-bud tenderness
Dm Dm7 G G Gadd4 Gadd5 F G Am
Sending water-lillies sailing           as she turned to get undressed.
C           C Cadd9 C           Am           Am Asus4 Am
And the long night awakened           and we soared on powdered wings
Dm           Dm Dsus2 Dm F C G
Circling our tomorrows           in the wary month of Spring.
C           C Cadd9 C           Am           Am Asus4 Am
Chasing shadows slipping           in a magic lantern slide
Dm Dm7 G G Gadd4 Gadd5 F G Am
Creatures of the candle           on a night-light-ride.
C           C Cadd9 C           Am           Am Asus4 Am
Dipping and weaving           flutter through the golden needle s eye
Dm           Dm Dsus2 Dm F C G
in our haystack madness.           Butterfly-stroking on a Spring-tide high,
F G Am
oh, on a Spring-tide high.

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Bm Bm A G Bm Bm A G (same as part of intro)

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D           Bm           G           A
Life s too long (as the Lemming said)
Bm Ab E B Dbm
as the candle burned and the Moths were wed.
G A D A Bm
And we ll all burn together as the wick grows higher
A E B
before the candle s dead.

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1/2 verse progression - instrumental

 Eb Eb Ebadd9 Eb Cm Cm Csus4 Cm
The leaded window opened to move the dancing candle flame.
 Fm Fm Fsus2 Fm Ab Eb Bb Ab Bb Cm
And the first moths of summer suicidal came, oh, suicidal game
 Eb Eb Ebadd9 Eb Cm Cm Csus4 Cm
to join in the worship of the light that never Dies
 Fm Fm Fsus2 Fm Ab Eb Bb
in a moment s reflection of two moths spinning in her eyes.

D Bm Bm A G Bm Bm A G Bm A G Bm (listen for similarity to intro.)