

Ikea
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Tuning: Standard (eBGDAE)

D G A D
Long ago in days of yore
G A D
It all began with a god named Thor
D Bm
There were Vikings and boats
G D Dsus4 D
And some plans for a furniture store

D G A D
It s not a bodega, it s not a mall
G A D A
And they sell things for apartments smaller than mine
Bm G D Dsus4 D
As if there were apartments smaller than mine

A Bm G D D A Asus4
Ikea: just some oak and some pine and a handful of Norsemen
A Bm G D D A Asus4
Ikea: selling furniture for college kids and divorced men
G D A7
Everyone has a home
G D A D Dsus4 D
But if you don t have a home you can buy one there

D G A D
So rent a car or take the bus
G A D
Lay your cash down and put your trust
A Bm G D Dsus4 D
In the land where the furniture folds to a much smaller size

D G A D
Billy the bookcase says hello
G A D
And so does a table whose name is Ingo
A Bm G D Dsus4 D
And the chair is a ladder-back birch but his friends call him Karl

A Bm G D D A Asus4

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G D A D Dsus4 D

But if you don't have a home you can buy one there

Bm F#

Ikea: plywood, brushed steel

D A7 Dadd4/A

Ikea: meatballs, tasty

Bm F#

Ikea: Allen wrenches

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All of them for free

Bm

All of them for me

D G A D

I'm sorry I said Ikea sucks

G A D

I just bought a table for 60 bucks

A Bm G D Dsus4 D

And a chair and a lamp and a shelf and some candles for you

D G A D

I was a doubter just like you

D G A D

â€˜Till I saw the American dream come true

A Bm G D

In New Jersey, they got a goddamned Swedish parade

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| / slide up
| \ slide down
| h hammer-on
| p pull-off
| ~ vibrato
| + harmonic
| x Mute note
| r rest

| b bend

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