

Waltzing Past The Grave
Jump, Little Children

Waltzing Past the Grave - Jay Clifford

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It s a bloomin shame that there aren t more tabs for this artist and his group,
Jump Little Children. Here s to my first submitted tab in 9 years of guitar
playing.

Tuning: Standard Capo 1 for recorded key
Intro (same as first half of verse):

1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 1 & 2 & 3
 & 4 &

G **Bm** **C**

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e |-----3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-0-----3-3-3-3-----|
B |-----0-0-0-0-----2-2-2-2-----1-1-1-1-----0-1-0-0-----|
G |-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----0-0-0-0-----0-0-0-0-----|
D |-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-0-----|
x2
A |-----2-2-2-2---2-2-2-2-2-2---3-3-3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-2-----|
E | -3-3-3-3-3-3-----3-3-3-3-3-3-----3-3-3-3-3-3-----|
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VERSE:

There s a stranger lying in my bed

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e |-----3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-0-----3-3-3-3-----|
B |-----0-0-0-0-----2-2-2-2-----1-1-1-1-----0-1-0-0-----|
G |-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----0-0-0-0-----0-0-0-0-----|
D |-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-0-----|
A |-----2-2-2-2---2-2-2-2-2-2---3-3-3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-2-----|
E | -3-3-3-3-3-3-----3-3-3-3-3-3-----3-3-3-3-3-3-----|

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A slate-eyed sleep assassin in my head

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e |-----3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-0-----3-3-3-----|
B |-----0-0-0-0-----2-2-2-2-----1-1-1-1-----0-1-0-----|
G |-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----0-0-0-0-----0-0-0-----|

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D|-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-----|
A|-----2-2-2-2---2-2-2-2-2-2---3-3-3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-----|
E|-3-3-3-3-3-3-----3-3-3-3-3-0-----|

I Keep on dying till I finally fall dead

Dadd4/A

C/G

e|---0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
B|---3--3-3-3---3--3-3-3-----1--1-1-1---1--1-1-1-----|
G|---0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
D|---4--4-4-4---4--4-4-4-----2--2-2-2---2--2-2-2-----|
A|---5--5-5-5---5--5-5-5-----3--3-3-3---3--3-3-3-----|
E|-5-5--5-5-5-5-5-5---3-3--3-3-3-3-3-3---3-3-3-3-----|

Every day has a way through

G

Bm

Dadd4/A

e|---3--3-3-3-----2--2-2-2-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
B|---0--0-0-0-----2--2-2-2-----3--3-3-3---3--3-3-3-----|
G|---0--0-0-0-----4--4-4-4-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
D|---0--0-0-0-----4--4-4-4-----4--4-4-4---4--4-4-4-----|
A|---2--2-2-2---2-2--2-2-2-----5--5-5-5---5--5-5-5-----|
E|-3-3--3-3-3-----5-5--5-5-5-5-5-5---5-5-5-5-----|

there s an ether hanging at my door
a cross-eyed crucifier keeping score
i keep on smiling til i can t smile no more
everyday fades to blue

CHORUS:

We go

Waltzing past the grave

We go

C

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Dadd4/A

e|---0-0-----3-3-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
B|---1-1-----0-0-----3--3-3-3---3--3-3-3-----|
G|---0-0-----0-0-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
D|---2-2-----0-0-----4--4-4-4---4--4-4-4-----|
A|-3-3-3-----2-2-----5--5-5-5---5--5-5-5-----|
E|-----3-3-3---5-5--5-5-5-5-5-5---5-5-5-5-----|

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G|---0-0-----0-0-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
D|---2-2-----0-0-----4--4-4-4---4--4-4-4-----|
A|-3-3-3-----2-2-----5--5-5-5---5--5-5-5-----|
E|-----3-3-3---5-5--5-5-5-5-5-5---5-5-5-5-----|

Waltzing past the grave

for one more

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B|---1-1-----0-0-----3--3-3-3---3--3-3-3-----|
G|---0-0-----0-0-----0--0-0-0---0--0-0-0-----|
D|---2-2-----0-0-----4--4-4-4---4--4-4-4-----|
A|-3-3-3-----2-2-----5--5-5-5---5--5-5-5-----|
E|-----3-3-3---5-5--5-5-5-5-5--5-5-5-----|

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day

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Bm

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B|-----0-0-0-0-----2-2-2-2-----1-1-1-1-----0-1-0-0-0-----|
G|-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----0-0-0-0-----0-0-0-0-0-----|
D|-----0-0-0-0-----4-4-4-4-----2-2-2-2-----0-0-0-0-0-----|
A|-----2-2-2-2---2-2-2-2-2-2---3-3-3-3-3-3-----2-2-2-2-2-----|
E|-3-3-3-3-3-3-----3-3-3-3-3-3-----|

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there s a danger lying at every turn
a steel-eyed star signing to whom it may concern
i catch my breath before the match starts to burn
everyday lights a fuse

there s a false confession under my skin
a doe-eyed disbeliever, a turned down chin
keep on losing til it feels like a win
but it s just a point of view

there s a light shining in my eyes
a show off charlatan shelling out lies
i see clearly til the flash starts to die
but it s just a clue

there s a cloud rising from the sea
a modern myth maker coming for me
i see the rain fall like snakes from a tree
and i know it s overdue

there s a stranger lying sound asleep
a slung out stone sinking in the deep
i give my dreams away the darkness i keep
but I m holding on to you

keep on waltzing past the grave
keep on waltzing past the grave
keep on waltzing past the grave
for one more day

Happy strumming!