Stolen Roses
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Am                                        C         Am
There once was a time when I was a girl
                     G                        Am
That darkness hunged in my sky
                          C                   Am
I was old before I learned to be young
                          G                Am
Just don t call till I learn how to cry


            C                                          G
and the weeds in the ground have grow up through my skin
       C                              E
it s taking a lonesome girl s heart
      Am                        C        Am
I will go where the stolen roses grow
                        G          Am
to forget that I have fell apart
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(**Am G Am E Am**)

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                             C                        Am
the thorns on the roses cut through my skin
                         G                   Am
the vultures flew down and then parted
                                   C      Am
what lay on the surface was a tiny crack
                         G          E
and below was a gigantic wreck
        C                              G
so I held my head down and I dealt with the blows
   C                             E      Am                      C
      Am
In hope that I d soon be free to go where the stolen roses grow
                        G          Am
to forget I have bad memory
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(**D Am D E**)

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