

The Captain And The Hourglass
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Intro: **Em**

G **Em**
You kick the blow, now you ve gotta kick the guy.

G **Em**
You sat alone under billowing sky

D **Em**
If I feel God judging me,

D **Em**
Well I fell into the water, and now I m free.

Em
My friends they don t really get me,

think I m the only one

G **D** **C** **Em**
Well i sold my soul to Jesus and since then ive had no fun

Em
Behind every tree is a cutting machine and a kite fallen from grace

G **D** **C** **Em**
Inside every man is a heart of sand you can see it in his face.

Em **D**
He ll tick tick tick tick tick tick away.

Em **D**
Another second lost with every fallen grain.

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Em
The wind and I, we speak the same, but he don t hear so well.

D
You re gonna have to curse him,

Em
Well you re gonna have to yell.

Em
The sky and I, we ve had our fights and I m coming round to rain,

G **D**
If the rain come round and don t go out,

C **Em**
and I ll never have to speak again,

Em **D**
I can tick tick tick tick tick tick away.

Em **D**

Another second lost with every fallen grain.

Em

D

Can tick tick tick tick tick tick tick away.

Em

D

Another second lost with every fallen grain.

Em

The captains got his boots on and he s heading out the door,

D

Em

Leaving his lady alone thinkin He don t love me no more.

Em

He s done with all this bullshit,

He s going back to war,

G

D

If Heaven is as Heaven does,

C

Em

then this is Hell for sure...

Em

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