

**The Sound Of White**  
**Missy Higgins**

The only version up here is rubbish and was driving me insane so I decided to tab it myself so that other, nearly as insane people, could use it :-)

Standard Tuning.

Intro

**G G/B Cadd9 C**

V1

**G** **G/B**  
Like a freeze-dried rose, you will never be,  
**Cadd9** **C**  
what you were, what you were to me in memory.  
**G** **G/B**  
But if I listen to the dark, you'll embrace me like a star,  
**Cadd9** **C**  
envelope me, envelope me...

Prechorus

**G** **G/B**  
If things get real for me down here,  
**Cadd9**  
promise to take me to before you went away -

if only for a day.

**G** **G/B**  
If things get real for me down here,  
**Cadd9**  
promise to take me back to the tune we played,  
**C** **Dsus4 D**  
before you went away.

Chorus

**G** **D** **C**  
And if I listen to, the sound of white,  
**D** **G**  
sometimes I hear your smile, and breathe your light.  
**D** **C** **D**  
Yeah if I listen to, the sound of white ..  
**G** **G/B** **C**  
You're my mystery. One mystery. My mystery. One mystery.

V2

**G**  
My silence solidifies,  
**G/B** **C**  
until that hollow void erases you,  
**Cadd9**  
erases you so I can't feel at all.  
**G** **G/B**  
But if I never feel again, at least that nothingness  
**Cadd9** **D**  
will end the painful dream, of you and me...

Prechorus

**G** **G/B**  
If things get real for me down here,  
**Cadd9**  
promise to take me to before you went away -  
  
if only for a day.  
**G** **G/B**  
If things get real for me down here,  
**Cadd9**  
promise to take me back to the tune we played,  
**C** **Dsus4** **D**  
before you went away.

Chorus

**G** **D** **C**  
And if I listen to, the sound of white,  
**D** **G**  
sometimes I hear your smile, and breathe your light.  
**G** **D** **C**  
And if I listen to, the sound of white,  
**D** **G**  
sometimes I hear your smile, and breathe your light.  
**D** **C** **D**  
Yeah if I listen to, the sound of white ..

Middle 8

**Em** **C** **G**  
I knelt before some strangers face,  
**D** **(B/D#)**  
Well I'd never have the courage or belief to trust this place,  
**Em** **C**  
But I dropped my head, cos it felt like lead,  
**G** **B7** **C** **D**  
And I'm sure I felt your fingers through my hair...

**G** **D** **C**  
And if I listen to, the sound of white,  
**D** **G**  
sometimes I hear your smile, and breathe your light.

D                                  C      D  
Yeah if I listen to, the sound of white  
D                  G      D  
The sound of white,  
D                  C      D  
The sound of white,  
D                  G                  G/B Cadd9 C G  
The sound of white,