

Northern Sky
Nick Drake

TUNING: DADGDF#

[Intro]

C Dm9 C Dm9 C Dm9 C Dm9

[Chorus]

C Dm9
I never felt magic crazy as this
C Dm9
I never saw moons near the meaning of the sea
C Dm9
I never held the motion in the palm of my hand
C Dm9
Or felt sweet breezes in the top of the tree
Gsus4 Dm11 G7sus4 C Dm9 C Dm9
But now you re here, brighten my northern sky

[Verse 1]

C Dm9
Been a long time that I m waiting
C Dm9
Been a long time that I ve blown
C Dm9
Been a long time that I ve wondered
C Dm9
Through the people I have known
Gsus4 Dm11 G7sus4 C
Oh if you would and you could straighten my new mind s eye
C Dm9 C Dm9 C Dm9 C Gsus4 C

[Middle Part]

	C	C	C	Gsus4
F#	-----0-----0-----3----			
D	-----0-----0-----2----			
G	-6-7-2-0-2-2--2(rpt twice)---0-2---			
D	-----4-----0--0-----2-0-2h4--4---			
A	-----0-----3-----0---3---0----			
D	-----0-----0-----0-----0----			

[Verse 2]
(same as verse 1)

Would you love me for my money
Would you love me for my head
Would you love me through the winter
Would you love me till I m dead
Oh if you would and you could come grow your home on high

[Chorus]
(same as the first one)

I never felt magic crazy as this
I never saw the moon neath the meaning of the sea
I never held emotion in the palm of my hand
Felt sweet breezes in the top of the tree
But now you re here, brighten my northern sky

C Dm9 C Dm9 C Dm9 C

Chords:

	C	Dm9	Gsus4	Dm11	G7sus4	Dm7
F#	--0--	--0--	--3--	--0--	--1--	--1--
D	--0--	--2--	--2--	--2--	--0--	--2--
G	--2--	--0--	--2--	--0--	--0--	--0--
D	--4--	--0--	--2--	--0--	--2--	--0--
A	--0--	--2--	--0--	--0--	--0--	--2--
D	--0--	--2--	--0--	--0--	--0--	--2--

NOTES: Not so long ago I figured this song out using standard tuning. I since think I ve gotten more or less the actual alternate tuning version figured out, but I m rather new to thing alternate tuning thing so I may have some big mistakes.

On the middle part, play the notes shown but you can also continue to strum a bit, especially where the chords are shown fully.

You may notice I included **Dm7** but it isn t mentioned in the song. Add this at the ends of lines (when you would be otherwise playing **Dm9**) for a little variety.

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