

Red Rain

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Intro:

D/C

Chorus:

Red rain is coming down, red rain

Cmaj7 D Cmaj7 D

Red rain is pouring down, pouring down, all over me

Cmaj7 D Cmaj7 D Em

Verse:

I am standing up at the water's edge in my dream

Em D/E Em

I cannot make a single sound as you scream

Em D/E Em

It can't be that cold, the ground is still warm to touch

Em7 A/E Em

We touch, this place is so quiet, sensing that storm

Em D/E C

[chorus]

[verse]

Well I've seen them buried in a sheltered place in this town

They tell you that this rain can sting, and look down

There is no blood around see no sign of pain

No pain, seeing no red at all, see no rain

[chorus]

Bridge:

D/E G/E, Gsus4/E G/E

D/C G/C, Gsus4/C G/C

D/A G/A, Gsus4/A G/A

D/Gb G/Gb, Gsus4/F G/F

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Putting the pressure on much harder now
To return again and again

Just let the red rain splash you
Let the rain fall on your skin
I come to you defences down
With the trust of a child

Em

[chorus]

And I can't watch any more, no more denial
C **Em**

It's so hard to lay down in all of this
C

[chorus]
Red rain is coming down
Red rain is pouring down
Red rain is coming down all over me
I see it

Red rain is coming down
Red rain is pouring down
Red rain is coming down all over me
I'm bathing in

Red rain coming down
Red rain is coming down
Red rain is coming down all over me
I'm begging you

Red rain coming down
Red rain coming down
Red rain coming down
Red rain coming down
Over me in the red red sea
D **Cmaj7** **Dsus4**

Over me
Cmaj7 Dsus4

Over me
Em

Red rain