

**On The Radio**  
**Regina Spektor**

[Intro]

**C G Am F**

[Verse 1]

**C**

This is how it works

**G**

It feels a little worse

**Am**

Than when we drove our hearse

**F**

Right through that screaming crowd

**C**

While laughing up a storm

**G**

Until we were just bone

**Am**

Until it got so warm

**F**

That none of us could sleep

**C**

And all the styrofoam

**G**

Began to melt away

**Am**

We tried to find some worms

**F**

To aid in the decay

**C**

But none of them were home

**G**

Inside their catacomb

**Am**

A million ancient bees

**F**

Began to sting our knees

**C**

While we were on our knees

**G**

Praying that disease

**Am**

Would leave the ones we love

**F**

And never come again

[Hook]

**C**

On the radio

**G**

We heard November Rain

**Am**

That solo s real long

**F**

But it s a pretty song

**C**

We listened to it twice

**G**

Cause the DJ was asleep

**Am F**

[Verse 2]

**C**

This is how it works

**G**

You re young until you re not

**Am**

You love until you don t

**F**

You try until you can t

**C**

You laugh until you cry

**G**

You cry until you laugh

**Am**

And everyone must breathe

**F**

Until their dying breath

**C**

No, this is how it works

**G**

You peer inside yourself

**Am**

You take the things you like

**F**

And try to love the things you took

**C**

And then you take that love you made

**G**

And stick it into some

**Am**

Someone else s heart

**F**

Pumping someone else s blood

**C**

And walking arm in arm

**G**

You hope it don t get harmed

**Am**

But even if it does

**F**

You ll just do it all again

[Outro]

**C**

And on the radio

**G**

You ll hear November Rain

**Am**

That solo s awful long

**F**

But it s a good refrain

**C**

You ll listen to it twice

**G**

Cause the DJ is asleep

**Am**

On the radio

**F**

On the radio

**C**

On the radio (uh-oh)

**G**

On the radio (uh-oh)

**Am**

On the radio (uh-oh)

**F**

On the radio

**C G Am F**