

Temple Of The King
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Key: **Am**

[Intro:]

Am / F / G / Am

Am / G / Dm-F / Am

C **G**
One day in the year of the fox
Dm **Am**
Came a time remembered well
F
When the strong young man
G
Of the rising sun heard the
Am
Tolling of the great black bell

(bass)

C **G**
One day in the year of the fox when the
E **Am**
Bell began to ring, it meant the
F **G**
Time had come for the one to go to the
Am
Temple of the King

Dm
There in the middle of the circle, he stands
Am
Searching, Seeking,
G
With just one touch of his trembling hand
Am
The answer will be found

Dm

Daylight waits for the oldman s scream

Am

Heaven, help me,

G

Dm

Just like a rush of thousand wings

E

It shines upon the world

F

G

Am

And the day has just begun

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G

Time had come for the one to go to the

Am

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Dm

There in the middle of people he stands

Am

Seeking, feeling

G

Just one touch of the strong right hand

E

He s gone, to the

F

G

Am

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[Instru:] **Am / F / G / Am**

Am / G / Dm-F / E

solo: **Am / F / Am / F / Am**

G / Dm / E / Am / F / Am / F

Am / G / Dm / E

Dm

Far from the circle of the edge of the world

Am

He s smoking, wandering

G

Thinking back of the stories he s told

Am

Before he s gonna see

Dm

There in the middle of the circle he lies

Am

Heaven, help me

G

Dm

All could see by the shine in his eyes

E

The answer has been found

Dm

Back with the people in the circle he stands

Am

Seeing, feeling

G

Dm

E

With just one touch of the strong right hand they know

F

G

Am

Of the Temple and the King

instr: **Am / F / G / Am**

Am / G /Dm-F/ Am

arpeggio: **F - E - Am :: end**

:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::: chords may be 7ths or minor 7ths ::::::::::::::

:::::::::::: background arpeggio increases volume towards end ::::::::::::::