Trouble
Shawn Colvin

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(title: Trouble)
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     Dm                            C
1. Baby let me set you down
     Dm                               C     F    You look so
troubled and I think I know
     Dm                                  C
   Just when you think you ve got it down
               Dm
   There you go.
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2. Now I know the business of the heart
   And it ll get you anyway it can
   You need someone to walk with in the   dark,
   Well, I m your man.

(chorus)
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         C
   I go to the trouble like a magnet
                         C7
   That s where I ll be
     Bb                        C         Gm
   Trouble is just a place to sing
                              Bb        Dm
   It s just what you need
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3. I swear you look like you re in jail
   And all at once you re half way
   out the door
   One foot dancing, one foot nailed
   To the floor.

4. Chasing those circles in the ground
   Same old shit is still the same old lie

Just when you think you ve got it down
        Watch it fly.

                I go to the trouble like a light
                Or like a dare
                Trouble is just a friend to me,   I know
                It ll always be there

5.   It s really hard to make your peace
      So give me some credit for the hell
      I ve paid
      This world s a blessing and a beast
      Every day

6.   So baby let me show you how
      The less you know the more
      I ll comprehend
      You don t have to drag me down
      I descend

                I go to the trouble and I like it
                That s where I ll be
                Trouble is just like love,
                if it s half the way
                It s all I can see
                And it s just what you need.

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