

Fools Gold On Main Street
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CHORDS USED: EADGbe

C#/G: 332010

F#: 133211

G#: 32000x

Fm: 02200x

Intro bit

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e|-----1--|
b|-----0---0h1---1--|
G|-----2---2---2--|
D|---0h2---3-----|
A|3-----|
E|-----|
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then it goes straight into it- listen to how he plays the C/G chord in the song
(3rd
fret on A string then 3rd fret on the E string)

C#/G	F#	C#/G	
Fool s gold on Main St. from stop signs to dangling telephones			
C#/G	F#	G#	
Children delivering newspapers, all the grotesque and the hum-drum			
F#	C#/G	Fm	F#
I used not to worry but now it s all I do			
F#	C#/G	Fm	F#
I used to be in a hurry but now I m dragging both my boots			
F#	G#	F#*	
Wondering how to get from Main to Meadooooooooooooooooow			

*With that F chord it goes something like (it can be played in a couple
variations
different from this one):

F#	C#/G	F#	C#/G(back to the verse)
e -----			
b ---0-0h1p0-----0-0h1p0---			
G 2--2-2-----0-----2--2-2-----0--			
D 3-----2---0--0h2p0-3-----2--			
A 3-----3-----3--			
E -----			

Listen to the song to get this bit right

C#/G	F#	C#/G
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From fisherman to fish to butcher, the struggle is never ending

C#/G

F#

G#

F#

You can put your life down on paper but it s not the same as swimming

C#/G

Fm

F#

I dropped a hint and you were kind enough to retrieve it

F#

C#/G

Fm

F#

You asked me where the trouble was and you were sweet enough to believe it

G#

F#*

But it was such a sad lie I had to whisper

C#/G

F#

C#/G

What happened to Blake and Eric, Douglas, Phil and Amanda?

C#/G

F#

G#

F#

What happened to Jennifer the Great, who loved me before anyone?

C#/G

Fm

F#

They re flying into the ground or walking high around my city

C#/G

Fm

F#

While my head is just some town you wouldn t want to visit

G#

F#*

It s crowded and the people all look ghostly

C#/G

F#

C#/G

Fool s gold on Main St., shuffling through orphan trash

C#/G

F#

G#

The birds search for the sun at their feet in every crumb of shattered glass

F#

C#/G

Fm

F#

I slipped on holy blinders as if I could turn my body in

C#/G

Fm

F#

If I m guilty when I despair, will hope make me innocent again

G#

F#*

Or will it only get me through this winter?

C#/G

F#

C#/G

There are neon invitations where shameless billboards babble

F#

G#

You belong to nothing at all now since your pockets have unraveled

F#

C#/G

Fm

F#

Your soul is just a drop of the dream we collected with pans in the stream

C#/G

Fm

F#

The streets of heaven are lined with it and the streets of heaven are clean

G#

F#*

But everything you ll ever touch is dirty

Keep on playing the F to C/G chord progression and end on C/G