

Djohariah

Sufjan Stevens

The chord progression is **D#m, E, G#m, F#** throughout the first 11.5 minutes or so,  
but the fingerpicking is:

Capo 6

**Am, Bb, Dm, C** in a typical Sufjan fingerpicking pattern.

I know you wonâ€™t get very far  
With the back seat driver in the carpetbagger  
With the dagger heart grabber stuck in your car

And the yard is grown to a hilt  
And the money spent money spent where it went  
Embarrassment, embarrassment to pay for the car

And the man who left you for dead  
Heâ€™s the heart grabber back stabber double cheater wife beater  
You donâ€™t need that man in your life

And you worked yourself to the bone  
While the people say what they say  
Itâ€™s the neighbors anyway  
They donâ€™t know whatâ€™s good for your life

And I see your head hangs low  
In the black shadow, half shadow  
Living room is fitting is sitting room is fit for your crying

Donâ€™t be ashamedâ€”donâ€™t hide in your room  
For the woman is, woman is the glorious victorious  
The mother of the heart of the world

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And the time you held to the light  
When water ran water ran with the strange attic  
And when the walls were wet with your life

And you pushed yourself to the floor  
And the spirit went where it went  
Hovering discovering uncovering your life, on the floor

And the walls were wet with your love

For the mother is, the mother is the glorious victorious

The mother of the heart of the world

Donâ€™t be ashamed, donâ€™t hide from me now  
For the woman is the woman is the glorious victorious  
The mother of the heart of the world

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Donâ€™t be ashamed, donâ€™t cry in the bath  
For itâ€™s the story of, story of, morning glory story  
Itâ€™s the gloriole that comes to your path

There is a time when the lights will arise  
For the mother is, the mother is the glorious victorious  
The mother of the heart of the world

Go on! Little sister! Go on!  
For your world is yours, world is yours  
All the wilderness of world is yours to enjoy

Go on! Little sister! Go on! Little sister!  
For your world is yours, world is yours  
All the wilderness of world is yours

Go on! Little sister! Go on! Little sister!  
For your world is yours, world is yours  
All the wilderness of world is yours

Go on! Little sister! Go on!  
For youâ€™re beautiful, beautiful  
All the fullness of the world is yours