

Book Faded Brown
The Band

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Album: Jubilation

(intro)
F Dm x 4

(verse)
F Dm
Another autumn night it s getting chilly
F Dm
Birds are gathering round getting ready
F Dm
The Moon and the sun are both so heavy
G
Barely off the ground
Am Bb
He s turning the wheels of his daddy s plow
Am Bb
Sowing the land that s been handed down
Gm C F
Singing a song from a book that s faded brown

F Dm
(verse)
F Dm
Mary she s on the step she s waiting
F Dm
Hair is like a light from heaven
F Dm
The family comes together now
G
Believe in what they found
Am Bb
Grace is said at the table round
Am Bb
A prayer before they settle down
Gm C F
Side by side in a book that s faded brown

(chorus)
Bb C Dm
Have you ever wondered why?
Bb C Dm
There s a rainbow in the sky?

Bb C

It s all the tears

C Dm

That God has been crying

G

And it leaves the world

And it leaves the world

C

With a rainbow for a crown

(verse)

F Dm

Those that said, said they re the outsiders

F Dm G

Are only easy riders on a horse that s going lame

Am Bb

For the way of the world is upside down

Am Bb

They can all hold hands When they walk through town

Gm C F

Side by side with a book that s faded brown

[Garth accordion bridge]

(chorus)

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Whoa

(verse)

F Dm

By the way have I told you already

F Dm G

That his parents were buried by a tree that they loved

Am Bb

The way of the world is upside down

Am Bb

Even the flowers stood without a sound

Gm C

Pressed together in a book that s faded

Gm C

Pressed together in a book that s faded

Gm C Dm
Pressed together in a book that s faded brown

Gm C F
Bound together in a book that s faded brown