

Calamity Song
The Decemberists

Artist: The Decemberists
Song: Calamity Song
Album: The King Is Dead
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Standard Tuning: [Capo II]

Chord used:

EADGBe

C: 032010

Dm: 000231

F: 122311

G: 320033

Intro: **C** - **G**

Verse 1:

C **G**
Had a dream, you and me and the war at the end times
C **G**
And I believe California succumbed to the fault line
G **F**
We heaved relief as scores of innocents die

Chorus 1:

F **C** **F** **C**
And the Andalusian tribe, setting the lay of Nebraska alight
G **F**
Until all that remains is the arms of the angels

Verse 2: [use verse 1 chords]

Petty green, queen of supply-side bonhomie bone-drab, you know what I mean
On the road, its well advised to follow your own bed
In the year of the chewable Ambien tab

Chorus 2:

F **C** **F** **C**
And the Panamanian child, stands at the Dowager Empresses side

G **F**
Until all that remains is the arms of the angels
C **G** **F**
til all that remains is the arms of the angels
C **F** **C** **F**
Ah-hooo, ah-hooo girl, ah-hooo, ah-hoooo girl

Bridge:

Dm **G** **Dm** **G**
You ve receded in to loam, and their picking at your bones
F **C** **G**
We ll call home, we ll come home

Verse 3: [use verse 1 chords]

Quiet now, will we gather to conger the rain down?
Will we now build a civilization below ground? And I ll be crowned
The community kicked it around

Chorus 3: [use chorus 2 chords]

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