

**My City Of Ruins**  
**The Lumineers**

Artist: The Lumineers

Song: My City Of Ruins (acoustic on radio Hamburg) (cover of Bruce Springsteen s song)

Video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ffniZ-zC5Mw>

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Tuning: standard

Capo: 3rd fret

Chords used:

G: 3.2.0.0.3.x

Cadd9: x.3.2.0.3.x

Em7: 0.2.2.0.3.x

D/F#: 2.0.0.2.3.x

Dsus4: x.x.0.2.3.x

C/G: 3.3.2.0.1.x

Intro:

**G Em7 Cadd9 G** x2

Verse:

**G Em7 Cadd9 G**  
There s a blood red circle on the cold dark ground  
**G D/F# Em7 Dsus4 Cadd9**  
And the rain is falling down  
**G Em7 Cadd9 G**  
The church doors thrown open I can hear the organ s song  
**G D/F# Em7 Dsus4 Cadd9**  
But the congregation s gone

Post-verse:

**Cadd9 G Em7 Cadd9 G**  
My city of ruins  
**G Em7 Cadd9 G**  
My city of ruins

Verse:

Now the sweet veils of mercy drift through the evening trees  
Young men on the corner like scattered leaves  
The boarded up windows, the empty streets  
While my brother s down on his knees

Post-verse:

My city of ruins  
My city of ruins

Chorus:

**G**            **Em7**                    **Cadd9**   **G**  
 Come on rise up!   Come on rise up!  
**G**            **Em7**                    **Cadd9**   **G**  
 Come on rise up!   Come on rise up!  
**G**            **Em7**    **Dsus4**                **Cadd9**   **G**  
 Come on rise up!   Come on rise up!  
**G**            **D/F#**   **Em7**        **Dsus4**    **Cadd9**  
 Come on ri.....se up

Break:   **G**   **Em7**   **Cadd9**   **G** x2

Verse:

Now there s tears on the pillow darling where we slept  
 And you took my heart when you leftG  
 Without your sweet kiss my soul is lost, my friend  
 Now tell me how do I begin again?

Post-verse:

My city s in ruins  
 My city s in ruins

Bridge:

**G**                    **Em7**    **Cadd9**                **G**  
 Now with these hands, with these hands  
**G**  
 (I pray Lord)  
              **Em7**        **Cadd9**        **G**  
 With these hands, with these hands  
              **G**  
 (I pray for the strength Lord)  
              **Em7**                **Cadd9**  
 With these hands, with these  
**G**                    **G**  
 (I pray for Your love Lord)  
              **Em7**                **Cadd9**  
 With these hands, with these  
**G**                    **G**  
 (I pray for Your lost Lord)  
              **Em7**                **Cadd9**  
 With these hands, with these  
**G**                    **G**  
 (I pray for the love Lord)  
              **Em7**                **Cadd9**                **G**  
 With these hands, with these  
**G**                    **Em7**  
 (I pray for the faith Lord)  
              **Cadd9**  
 With these hands, with these  
**G**                    **G**  
 (I pray for the lost Lord)  
              **Em7**  
 With these hands,  
              **Cadd9**                **G**    **G**    **Em7**

Come on! Come on!

**Cadd9 G**

Come on! Come on!

Ending:

**G Em7 Cadd9 G**

Come on rise up! Come on rise up!

**G Em7 Cadd9 G**

Come on rise up! Come on rise up!

**G Em7 Dsus4 Cadd9 G**

Come on rise up! Come on rise up!

**G Em7 Dsus4 Cadd9 G**

Come on rise up! Come on rise up!

**G Em7 Dsus4 Cadd9 G**

Come on rise up! Come on rise up!

**G D/F# Em7 Dsus4 C/G**

Come on ri.....se up

Note:

Transition from Em7 to Cadd9

**Em7 G/B Csus2 Cadd9**

|   |  |     |     |       |       |        |  |
|---|--|-----|-----|-------|-------|--------|--|
| e |  | --- | x-- | x-x-- | x-x-- | x----- |  |
| B |  | --- | 3-- | 3-3-- | 3-3-- | 3----- |  |
| G |  | --- | 0-- | 0-0-- | 0-0-- | 0----- |  |
| D |  | --- | 2-- | 0-0-- | 0h2-- | 2----- |  |
| A |  | --- | 2-- | 2h3-- | 3-3-- | 3----- |  |
| E |  | --- | 0-- | ----- | ----- | -----  |  |

He does this in: intro, post-verse, break, bridge.

Doesn't do this in: verse, chorus, ending.

Note II:

If you have any corrections or improvements to the tab write them on the comments section, or send me a message, or e-mail, so we can together make this tab even better.

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