

Last Man On Earth
The Mountain Goats

Intro: G Bm Am7 C X2

G Bm C G
Just when the last of the smoke subsides you ll see my fingers

G Bm Am7 D
Hoisting my body up atop the charred debris

G Bm Em Bm
Who is that creature with the crazed look in his eyes?

C G
Don t even question your senses

C D
You can be sure that s me

Em G
When all the pretenders to your hand

C D
lie dead across the land,

G Bm C D
I ll be the last man on earth

G Bm C D
I ll be the last man on earth

G Bm C D
I ll be the last man on earth

G D G
Crawling around, down on the ground

G Bm C G
When the Hail Marys you ve been saying lose their savor

G Bm Am7 D
Just when your dungeon walls feel like they re closing in

G Bm Em Bm
Whose are those bloody knuckles reaching down to grab you

C G C D
Just as the last of the light overhead is growing dim?

Em G
It was their love you wanted, not mine

C D
But when they deny your name three times

G Bm C D
I ll be the last man on earth

G Bm C D
I ll be the last man on earth

G Bm C D
I ll be the last man on earth

G D G

Crawling around, down on the ground

Em **D** **G**
And I will throw you across my shoulders
Em **D** **G**
And I will bleed and I will drool
Em **D** **C** **G**
And the cameras will slow pan across my face
Em **F** **D**
And I will try to say something cool

G **Bm** **C** **G**
Just as the hoardes of thirsting demons close around us
G **Bm** **Am7** **D**
Raising their axes, howling like monkeys in the sun
G **Bm** **Em** **Bm**
Who will that guy be holding you so high above them?
C **G** **C** **D**
You know and I know, everyone knows it, I m the one
 Em **G**
I may have failed you once before
 C **D**
But this right here, this means war

G **Bm** **C** **D**
I ll be the last man on earth
 G **Bm** **C** **D**
I ll be the last man on earth
 G **Bm** **C** **D**
I ll be the last man on earth
 G **D** **G**
Crawling around, down on the ground