

Last Man On Earth
The Mountain Goats

Intro: A C#m Bm7 D X2

A C#m D A
Just when the last of the smoke subsides you ll see my fingers

A C#m Bm7 E
Hoisting my body up atop the charred debris

A C#m F#m C#m
Who is that creature with the crazed look in his eyes?

D A
Don t even question your senses

D E
You can be sure that s me

F#m A
When all the pretenders to your hand

D E
lie dead across the land,

A C#m D E
I ll be the last man on earth

A C#m D E
I ll be the last man on earth

A C#m D E
I ll be the last man on earth

A E A
Crawling around, down on the ground

A C#m D A
When the Hail Marys you ve been saying lose their savor

A C#m Bm7 E
Just when your dungeon walls feel like they re closing in

A C#m F#m C#m
Whose are those bloody knuckles reaching down to grab you

D A D E
Just as the last of the light overhead is growing dim?

F#m A
It was their love you wanted, not mine

D E
But when they deny your name three times

A C#m D E
I ll be the last man on earth

A C#m D E
I ll be the last man on earth

A C#m D E
I ll be the last man on earth

A E A

Crawling around, down on the ground

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

A **C#m** **D** **A**
Just as the hoardes of thirsting demons close around us
A **C#m** **Bm7** **E**
Raising their axes, howling like monkeys in the sun
A **C#m** **F#m** **C#m**
Who will that guy be holding you so high above them?
D **A** **D** **E**
You know and I know, everyone knows it, I m the one
 F#m **A**
I may have failed you once before
 D **E**
But this right here, this means war

A **C#m** **D** **E**
I ll be the last man on earth
 A **C#m** **D** **E**
I ll be the last man on earth
 A **C#m** **D** **E**
I ll be the last man on earth
 A **E** **A**
Crawling around, down on the ground