Matthew 25 21 The Mountain Goats

Dmaj7 D6sus2 Dsus4 D5

they d hooked you up to a fentanyl drip

Dmaj7 Dsus4 D6sus2 D5

to mitigate the pain a little bit

Dmaj7 Dsus4 D6sus2 D5

i flew in from pennsylvania

Dmaj7 Dsus4 D6sus2 D5

when i heard the hour was coming fast

Bm G D5

And i docked in santa barbara

Bm G D5

tried to brace myself

Bm G D5

but you can t brace yourself

Bm G Asus4

when the time comes you just have to roll with the blast

Em G

and i m an 18-wheeler headed down the interstate

D5 A G

and my brakes are gonna give and i won t know til it s too late

C

tires screaming when i lose control

Asus4 G

try not to hurt too many people when i roll

[instrumental]

Dmaj7 Dsus4 D6sus2 D5

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find the harbor freeway and head south

Dmaj7 D6sus2 **Dsus4 D5**

real tired, head kind of light

Dmaj7 D5 D6sus2 Dsus4 i found telegraph road, i d only seen the name on envelopes Dmaj7 Dsus4 D6sus2 D5 found the parking lot and turned right Bm G D5 i felt all the details carving out space in my head Bm G D5 tropicanas on the walkway neon red D5 Bm G between the pain and the pills trying to hold it at bay Asus4 stands a traveler going somewhere far away and i am an airplane tumbling wing over wing G try to listen to my instruments they don t say anything people screaming when the engines quit Asus4 i hope we re all in crash position when we hit [instrumental]

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Dmaj7 D6sus2 and then came to your bedside

Dsus4

and as it turns out

i m not ready

D5

Dmaj7 D6sus2 and as though

 $\ensuremath{\texttt{Dsus4}}$ you were speaking through a thick haze

Dmaj7 D6sus2 Dsus4 D5

you said hello to me

Bm G D5

we all stood there around you

Bm G D5

happy to hear you speak

Bm G D5

the last of something bright burning

Bm G

still burning

Asus4

beyond the cancer and the chemotherapy

Em G

and you were a presence full of light upon this earth

D5 A G

and i am a witness to your life and to its worth

C D

it s three days later when i get the call

Asus4 G

and there s nobody around to break my fall