

Old College Try  
The Mountain Goats

[Intro] A C#m D E D  
A F#m D E

A C#m  
From the housetops to the gutters  
D E D  
From the oceans to the shores  
A F#m  
The warning signs have all been bright and garish  
D E  
Far to great in number to ignore

A C#m  
From the cities to the swamplands  
D E D  
From the highways to the hills  
A F#m  
Our love has never had a leg to stand on  
D E  
From the aspirins to the cross-tops to the Elevils

D E A D  
But I will walk down to the end with you  
A E A  
If you will come all the way down with me

A C#m  
From the entrance to the exit  
D E D  
Is longer than it looks from where we stand  
A F#m  
I wanna say I m sorry for stuff I haven t done yet  
D E  
Things will shortly get completely out of hand

A C#m  
I can feel it in the rotten air tonight  
D E  
In the tips of my fingers in the skin on my face  
A F#m  
In the weak last gasp of the evening s dying light  
D E  
In the way those eyes I ve always loved illuminate this place  
D E  
Like a trashcan fire in a prison cell  
A F#m  
Like the searchlights in the parking lots of hell

D E A D

I will walk down to the end with you

A E A

If you will come all the way down with me

[Final] A C#m D E D

A F#m D E D

E D E D E A