

29 Years

The National

Alright i love this song regardless of the imperfections but that s what makes it so great right? anyway i wanted to learn found there were no tabs/chords and so i tried to figure them out...not too sure but it sounds close, three chords through out the whole song and i tried playing along with the song and it sounded alright.

This is the song of their debut album The National, despite the identical lyrics this is not to be confused with Slow Show.

I play barre chords but open should sound fine, plus it would probably sound more dissonant which is like the record.

INTRO: **C** | **G** | **Dm7** (these are all just single downstrokes until a point)

C **G**
Could you tell the enchantment and say goodbye
Dm7 **C**
I met a girl named disillusionment

C **G**
Could you tell her I made the headlines (4 downstrokes per chord from here)
Dm7 **C**
says boy draws wings on everything

C **G**
Could you tell her to check the headlines
Dm7 **C**
says boy finds angels in the river

C **G**
You know I dreamed about you
Dm7
For 29 years before
C
I saw you

You know I dreamed about you
I missed you for 29 years

C
Birds are flying out of water
G

Underneath the sky

Dm7

I run up to the rainbow girl

C

just to pass her by

I ll never have a change of heart

My swan will never sing

I have no heart the swan is gone

And now I wear the wings

You know I dreamed about you

For 29 years before

I saw you

-----^CHORDS^-----

NO CHORDS

You know I dreamed about you

I missed you for 29 years

You know I dreamed about you

For 29 years before

I saw you

CHORDS START AGAIN

You know I dreamed about you

For 29 years before

I saw you

SAME CHORDS TILL END

Sounds good to me - Saagar