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No Way Down
The Shins
[Intro] (x2)
G# C# (x3)
F# C#
[Verse]
                        C#
Meet the son of a Government man
and a pillar of salt
G#
                     C#
I was born with blood on my hands and
      F#
have all signs of a bleeding heart
                   C#
Living high on a giant hog
              C#
and a mountain so steep
                       C#
keep your head in a hollow log as
      F#
the ruling fog are about to creep
[Verse]
Ebm
What have we done?
                G#
How d we get so far from the sun?
                  Bbm
Lost, lost in an oscillating phase
                       G#
where a tiny few catch all of the rays
                    C#
Out beyond the western squalls
G#
              C#
In an alien land
                 C#
they work for nothing at all
they don t know the mall or the lay-away plan
Dig yourself a beautiful grave
everything you could want
Maybe those invisible slaves are
too far away for the ghost to
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[Verse]
Ebm
                  G#
haunt, what will we charge
            G#
                            F#
for letting go of a claim so large?
Ebm
               Bbm
Oh, all of our working days are done
                        G#
But a tiny few are having all of the fun
                G#
Get used to their dust in your lungs
[Instrumental] (x2)
C# F# (x3)
G#
[Verse]
        Ebm
                Bbm
Is there no way down
         C#
                         G#
from this peak to solid ground
                  Bbm
without having our gold teeth
                 G#
                        F#
pulled from our mouth?
[Instrumental]
G# F# (x2)
C# (stop)
[Verse]
G#
   C#
Make me a drink
   C#
strong enough
G#
        C#
to wash away the dishwater world
    C#
They said was lemonade
G#
     C#
Walk with me
    C#
after the show
G#
     C#
Maybe we can find a way
            C#
through the minefield in the
Ebm
                G#
snow, what will they charge
                     G#
for letting go of a claim so large?
               Bbm
Oh, all of our working days are done
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C# G# F#

But a tiny few are having all of the fun

C# G# F#

Apologies to the sick and the young

F# G# C#

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