

**In These Arms**  
**The Swell Season**

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Tuning: standard

Capo 2 fret

[Chords]

|   | <b>G#</b>                   | <b>G#/F#</b> | <b>C#</b> | <b>Eb</b> | <b>Fm</b> |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| e | -----2-----2-----           |              |           |           |           |
| B | -2p0--2-----3-----2-----    |              |           |           |           |
| G | -2-----2-----2---1---2----- |              |           |           |           |
| D | -2-----2-----2---4-----     |              |           |           |           |
| A | -0-----2-----2-----         |              |           |           |           |
| E | -----2-----2-----           |              |           |           |           |

[Intro]

**G#**

[Verse]

**G#**  
use the truth

as a weapon  
**G#/F#**  
to beat up all your friends

**G#**  
every chink in the armor

**G#/F#**  
an excuse to cause offense

**Eb**  
and the boys from the hallway

**Fm**  
calling out your name

**C#**  
and true love

**G#**  
will find them in the end

**C#** **G#**  
you are restless

**Eb** **Fm**  
i was somewhere less secure

**C#** **G#** **Eb**  
so i went running to the row

**C#** **G#** **Eb** **Fm**  
and so now that this long list of places i was

**C#** **G#** **Eb**  
i quit my rambling and come home

**Fm** **C#** **Fm**  
cause maybe i was born to hold you in these arms

**C#** **Fm**  
maybe i was born to hold you in these arms

[Instrumental]

**C# G# Eb Fm C# G# Eb**

x2

**G#**  
use your saints  
and your mantra

**G#/F#**  
and you things that keep you calm

**G#**  
if you stay  
with that asshole

**G#/F#**  
is gonna do you harm

**Eb** **Fm**  
there s a voice calling loudly on the radio  
just for you

**C#**  
and good fortune

**G#**  
will find him in the end

**Fm** **C#** **Fm**  
maybe i was born to hold you in these arms  
**C#** **G#** **C#** **Fm**  
maybe i was born to hold you in these arms  
**C#** **G#** **C#** **Fm**  
maybe i was born to hold you in these arms  
**C#** **G#** **C#** **Fm**  
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