

Step
Vampire Weekend

[Intro]

Every time I see you in the world, you always step to my girl

G Gmaj7 Em D C G C D

[Verse]

G

Back back way back

Gmaj7

Em

D

I used to front like Angkor Wat, Mechanicsburg, Anchorage and Dar es Salaam

C

G

While home from New York was champagne and disco

C

D

Tapes from L.A. slash San Francisco

G

Gmaj7

But actually Oakland and not Alameda

Em

D

Your girl was in Berkeley with her communist reader

C

G

Mine was entombed within boombox and Walkman

C

D

I was a hoarder but girl, that was back then

[Bridge]

G Gmaj7 Em D

[Chorus]

G

Gmaj7

Em

The gloves are off, the wisdom teeth are out

D

What you on about?

C

G

C

D

I feel it in my bones, I feel it in my bones

G

Gmaj7

Em

I m stronger now, I m ready for the house

D

Such a modest mouse

C

G

C

D

I can t do it alone, I can t do it alone

G **Gmaj7** **Em** **D**
Every time I see you in the world, you always step to my girl

C G C D

[Verse]

G **Gmaj7**
Ancestors told me that their girl was better
Em **D**
She s richer than Croesus, she s tougher than leather
C **G**
I just ignored all the tales of a past life
C **D**
Stale conversation deserves but a bread knife
G **Gmaj7**
And punks who would laugh when they saw us together
Em **D**
Well they didn t know how to dress for the weather
C **G**
I can still see them there huddled on Astor
C **D**
Snow falling slow to the sound of the Master

[Chorus]

G **Gmaj7** **Em**
The gloves are off, the wisdom teeth are out
D
What you on about?
C **G** **C** **D**
I feel it in my bones, I feel it in my bones
G **Gmaj7** **Em**
I m stronger now, I m ready for the house
D
Such a modest mouse
C **G** **C** **D**
I can t do it alone, I can t do it alone

G Gmaj7 Em D C G C D

[Verse]

G **Gmaj7**
Wisdom s a gift but you d trade it for youth
Em **D**
Age is an honour - it s still not the truth
C **G**
We saw the stars when they hid from the world
C **D**
You cursed the sun when it stepped to your girl
G **Gmaj7**

Maybe she's gone and I can't resurrect her

Em

D

The truth is she doesn't need me to protect her

C

G

We don't know the true death - the true way of all flesh

C

D

Everyone's dying but girl - you're not old yet

[Chorus]

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Gmaj7

Em

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C G C D G