

Colours Of The Wind  
Vanessa Williams

**Cm** **Gm**  
You think I m an ignorant savage  
**Cm**  
You have been so many places,  
**Bb**  
I guess it must be so  
**G#** **D#**  
But still I cannot see  
**G#** **D#**  
If the savage one is me  
**Cm** **D#** **G**  
How can there be so much that you don t know,  
**C** **Am C Am**  
You don t know?

Verse 1:

**Am C** **Am**  
You think you own whatever land you land on  
**C** **Em**  
the earth is just a dead thing can claim  
**Am** **Em** **F** **C**  
but i know every rock and tree and creature  
**Dm** **G** **Am**  
has a life, has a spirit, has a name.  
**C** **Am**  
You think the only people who are people  
**C** **Em**  
are the people who look and think like you  
**Am** **Em** **F** **C**  
but if you walk the footsteps of a stranger  
**Dm** **F** **C**  
you ll learn things you never knew you never knew.

Chorus:

**Em** **Am** **Em** **F**  
Have you ever heard the wolf cry to the blue corn moon  
**Am** **Em**  
Or asked the grinning bobcat why he grinned?  
**F** **G** **Em** **Am**  
Can you sing with all the voices of the mountain?  
**F** **C** **Dm** **Am**  
Can you paint with all the colors of the wind?  
**Dm** **F** **C**

Can you paint with all the colors of the wind?

Verse 2:

**C** **G** **Am**  
Come run the hidden pine trails of the forest  
**C** **Em**  
Come taste the sun sweet berries of the earth  
**Am** **G** **F** **C**  
Come roll in all the riches all around you  
**Dm** **C** **G** **Am** **G**  
And for once never wonder what they re worth.  
**C** **G** **Am**  
The rainstorm and the river are my brothers  
**C** **Em**  
The heron and the otter are my friends  
**Am** **G** **F** **C**  
And we are all connected to each other  
**Dm** **F** **C**  
In a circle in a hoop that never ends.

Chorus:

**Em** **Am** **Em** **F**  
Have you ever heard the wolf cry to the blue corn moon  
**Am** **Em**  
or let the eagle tell you where he s been?  
**F** **G** **Em** **Am**  
Can you sing with all the voices of the mountain?  
**F** **C** **Dm** **Am**  
Can you paint with all the colors of the wind?  
**Dm** **F** **C**  
Can you paint with all the colors of the wind?

**Em** **F** **Em** **Am**  
How high does the sickamore grow?  
**Dm** **F** **G**  
If you cut it down then you ll never know.

**Em** **Am** **Em** **F**  
And you ll never hear the wolf cry to the blue corn moon  
**Am** **Em**  
For whether we are white or copper skinned  
**F** **G** **Em** **Am**  
We need to sing with all the voices of the mountains  
**Dm** **Em** **Dm** **Am**  
We need to paint with all the colors of the wind.

**Dm7**  
You can own the Earth and still  
**Em** **F**  
All you ll own is earth until  
**Am** **Em** **Fmaj7** **G** **C**  
You can paint with all the colors of the wind

Have fun!

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