

Tear Down the Walls

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Peacefully (♩ = 96)

Verse 1
Capo 7: G
D

C
G

Am⁷
Em⁷

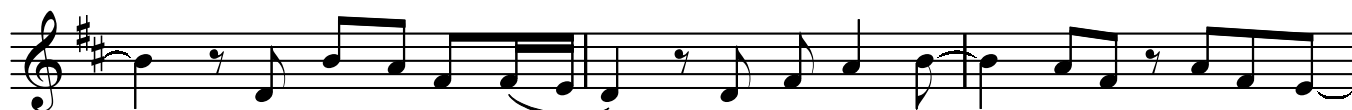


Be-neath our skin,___ the ac-tion we take,___ the strength we find,___

C
G

G
D

C
G



___ the chang-es we make.____ The hand we hold___ to a saf-er place,___

Am⁷
Em⁷

C
G

Em⁷
Bm⁷



___ the cour-age to speak___ face___ to face.____ From our ears to our hands.___

C
G

Am⁷
Em⁷



___ to the ground where we stand,___ we are ho - ly and whole,___

C
G

Em⁷
Bm⁷

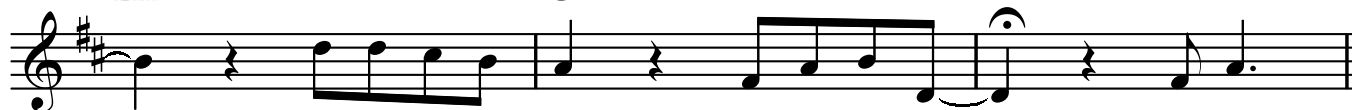
C
G



___ ev - ery wom-an and man.____ Be-ing to-geth - er is be-ing a-live.____

Am⁷
Em⁷

C
G



___ On - ly to-geth - er will we sur-vive.____ We can

Chorus 1

Em⁷ D G Em⁷ D G
 Bm⁷ A D Bm⁷ A D

tear down the walls____ brick by____brick,____ one by____ one____ 'til our love_

Em⁷ D G Am⁷ G/B
 Bm⁷ A D Em⁷ D/F#

_ is great-er than fear,____ 'til we re-mem - ber why we are here.____

Dsus Em⁷ D C
 Asus Bm⁷ A G

_ We can tear down the walls.____

Verse 2

G D C Am⁷
 D G Em⁷

Some-times the strang - er is some-one new,____ some-times the strang-

C G C G C G

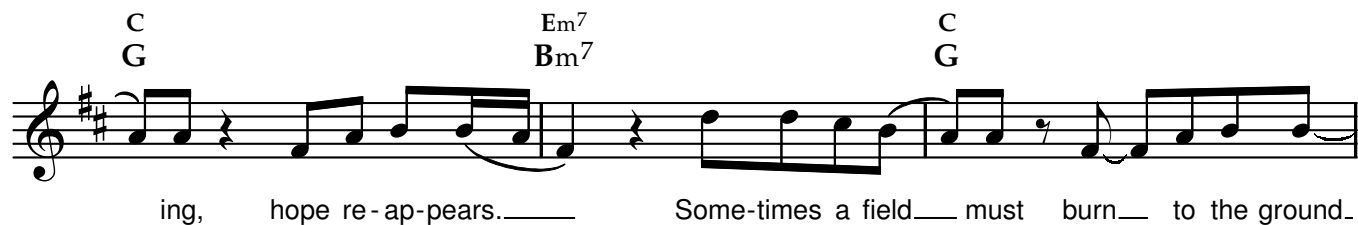
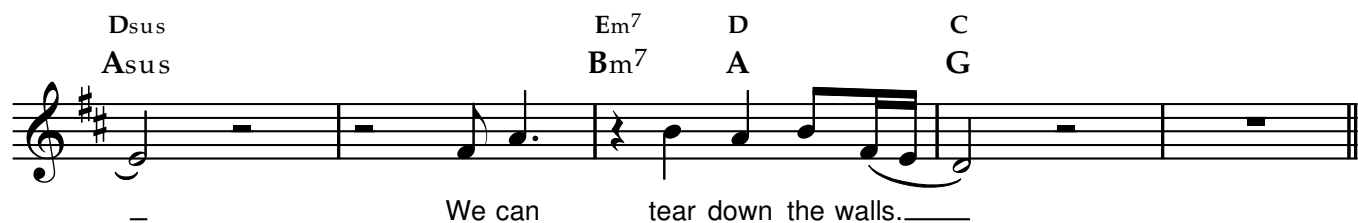
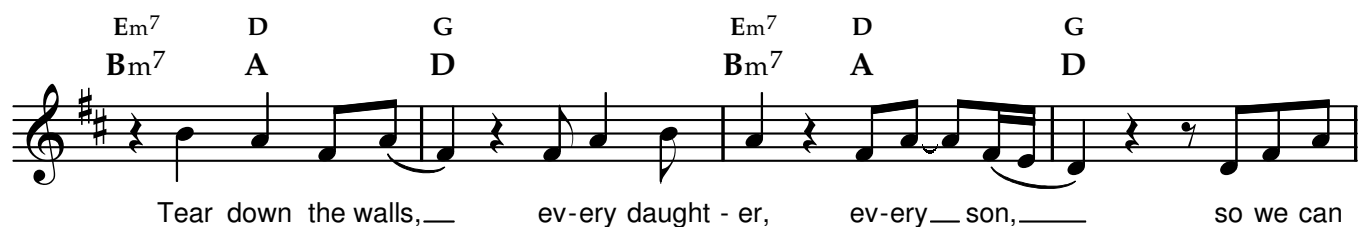
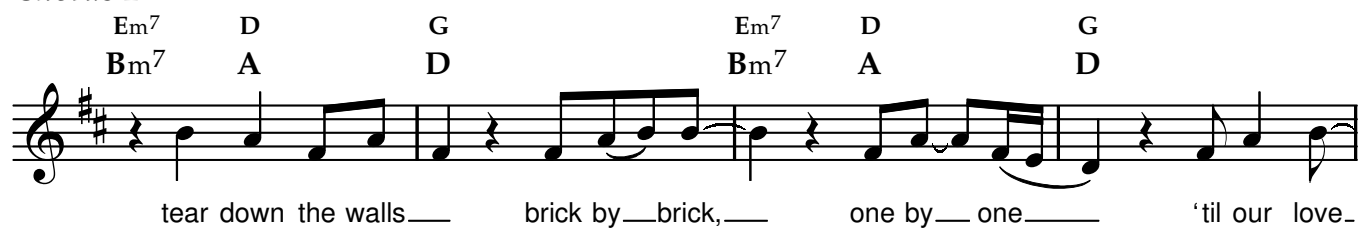
er is part of you.____ The dis-tance we make____ can cause so much pain_

Am⁷ C Em⁷
 Em⁷ G Bm⁷

_ or time to turn____ and look a - gain.____ The birth of a child,_

C Am⁷
 G Em⁷

_ the months of the year,____ through the hurt and the heal -

*Chorus 2*

Bridge

Em⁷ D G Em⁷ D
Bm⁷ A D Bm⁷ A

Mam-le- chet ko - ha - nim,____ a priest-ly na - tion are we.____

G Em⁷ D
D Bm⁷ A

— When we've been starved of our hope____ and our homes____

C Am⁷ G/B D
G Em⁷ D/F# A

— and our lives,____ we sur - vived on our re-spons - i - bil - i-ty.____

Final Chorus

Em⁷ D G Em⁷ D G
Bm⁷ A D Bm⁷ A D

Tear down the walls____ brick by brick,____ one by____ one____ 'til our love_

Em⁷ D G Am⁷ G/B
Bm⁷ A D Em⁷ D/F#

— is great-er than fear,____ 'til we re-mem - ber why we are here.____

Dsus Asus Em⁷ D G
Asus Bm⁷ A D

— We can Tear down the walls,____ ev - ery daught -

Em⁷ D G Em⁷ D
Bm⁷ A D Bm⁷ A

er,____ ev - ery son,____ so we can build on bet - ter____ land,____

G
D
Am⁷
Em⁷
G/B
D/F[#]
D^{sus}
A^{sus}

— we can re-mem - ber where we've come from. —

Em⁷
Bm⁷
D
A
G
D
Em⁷
Bm⁷
D
A
G
D

Tear down the walls, — tear down the walls. — We can

Em⁷
Bm⁷
D
A
G
D
Am⁷
Em⁷
G/B
D/F[#]
C
G

tear down the walls, — we can tear down the walls. —