

## Africa

### Intro

A	-	[A G#m]	C#m
C#m	-	-	-
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### Verse 1

B	-	D#m	-	Hear the drums echoing tonight
G#m	-	B/F#	-	But she hears only
A/E	-	G#m/F#	-	whispers of some quiet conversation
G#m	-			
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	

B	-	D#m	-	She's coming in, 12:30 flight
G#m	-	B/F#	-	The moonlit wings reflect the stars
A/E	-	G#m/F#	-	that guide me towards salvation
G#m	-			
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	

B	-	D#m	-	I stopped an old man along the way
G#m	-	B/F#	-	Hoping to find some old, forgotten
A/E	-	G#m/F#	-	words or ancient melodies
G#m	-			
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	

B	-	D#m	-	He turned to me as if to say,
G#m	-	-	-	"Hurry boy, it's waiting there for you"
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	
C#m	-	-	-	

### Refrain

F#m	-	D	-	It's gonna take a lot to drag me
A	-	E	-	away from you
F#m	-	D	-	There's nothing that a hundred men
A	-	E	-	or more could ever do

F#m	-	D	-	I bless the rains down in Africa
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A	-	E	-	
F#m	-	D	-	Gonna take some time to do
A	-	C#m	-	the things we never had, oo-oooh.
E	-	F#m	[- E/G#]	

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### Verse

B	-	D#m	-	The wild dogs cry out in the night
G#m	-	B/F#	-	As they grow restless,
A/E	-	G#m/F#	-	longing for some solitary company
G#m	-			
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	

B	-	D#m	-	I know that I must do what's right
G#m	-	B/F#	-	As sure as Kilimanjaro
A/E	-	G#m/F#	-	rises like Olympus above the Serengeti

G#m	-			
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	

B	-	D#m	-	I seek to cure what's deep inside,
G#m	-	-	-	frightened of this thing that I've become
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	
C#m	-	-	-	

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*Instrumental solo, verse*

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G#m	-	B/F#	-
A/E	-	G#m/F#	-
G#m	-		
A	-	[A G#]	C#m

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G#m	-	-	-	Hurry boy,
A	-	[A G#]	C#m	she's waiting there for you
C#m	-	-	-	

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*Outro*

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C#m - - -  
A - [A G#m] C#m  
C#m - - -  
A - [A G#m] C#m  
C#m - - -  
A - [A G#m] C#m  
C#m - - -