

Lover's Cross - Jim Croce

Tempo: NA

Strumming Pattern: NA

(see fingerstyle guide for reference)

Chords Used:

The chord diagrams are arranged in three rows:

- Row 1: C, Am, Dm, G7
- Row 2: C/B, Am/G, F, G
- Row 3: C7, Dm7, Em

C Am Dm G7 C Am Dm G7
 GUESS THAT IT WAS BOUND TO HAPPEN; WAS JUST A MATTER OF TIME
 C Am Dm G7 C C/B Am
 BUT NOW I'VE COME TO MY DECISION, AND IT'S ONE OF THE PAINFUL KIND
 Am/G F G Am Am/G
 'CAUSE NOW IT SEEMS THAT YOU WANTED A MARTYR,
 F C Dm G7
 JUST A REGULAR GUY WOULDN'T DO
 C Am Dm G7 C C7
 BUT BABY, I CAN'T HANG UPON NO LOVER'S CROSS FOR YOU.
 C Am Dm G7 C Am Dm G7
 YES I REALLY GOT TO HAND IT TO YOU, 'CAUSE GIRL, YOU REALLY TRIED
 C Am Dm G7
 BUT FOR EVERY TIME THAT WE SPENT LAUGHIN'

C C/B Am Am/G
THERE WERE TWO TIMES THAT I CRIED.
 F G Am Am/G
AND YOU WERE TRYING TO MAKE ME YOUR MARTYR
 F C Dm G7
AND THAT'S THE ONE THING I JUST COULDN'T DO
 C Am Dm G7 C C7
'CAUSE BABY, I CAN'T HANG UPON NO LOVER'S CROSS FOR YOU.

 F G Am Em
'CAUSE TABLES ARE MEANT FOR TURNIN',
 F C Dm G7
AND PEOPLE ARE BOUND TO CHANGE
 F G Am Em
AND BRIDGES ARE MEANT FOR BURNIN',
 F C Dm7 G7
WHEN THE PEOPLE AND MEMORIES THEY JUST AREN'T THE SAME

 C Am Dm G7 C Am Dm G7
SO I'LL HOPE THAT YOU CAN FIND ANOTHER WHO CAN TAKE WHAT I COULD NOT
C Am Dm G7 C C/B Am Am/G
HE'LL HAVE TO BE A SUPER GUY OR MAYBE A SUPER GOD

 F G Am Am/G
'CAUSE I NEVER WAS MUCH OF A MARTYR BEFORE
 F C Dm G7
AND I AIN'T 'BOUT TO START NOTHIN' NEW
 C Am Dm G7 C
AND BABY, I CAN'T HANG UPON NO LOVER'S CROSS FOR YOU.

 F G Am Em
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 F C Dm G7
AND PEOPLE ARE BOUND TO CHANGE
 F G Am Em
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