RHYMES & REASONS

G                D/F#            C/E           G
SO YOU SPEAK TO ME OF SADNESS AND THE COMING OF THE WINTER
Em               Bm              C              D
FEAR THAT IS WITHIN YOU NOW THAT SEEMS TO NEVER END
G                  D/F#            C/E                 G
AND THE DREAMS THAT HAVE ESCAPED YOU AND A HOPE THAT YOU'VE FORGOTTEN
Em               G                   D             D
AND YOU TELL ME THAT YOU NEED ME NOW AND YOU WANT TO BE MY FRIEND
C                  C
AND YOU WONDER WHERE WE'RE GOING,
G                     D/F#
WHERE'S THE RHYME AND WHERE'S THE REASON
Em             G           D/F#           D/F#
AND IT'S YOU CANNOT ACCEPT, IT IS HERE WE MUST BEGIN
Am            Am
TO SEEK THE WISDOM OF THE CHILDREN
G                  C              D
AND THE GRACEFUL WAY OF FLOWERS IN THE WIND
G                D/F#            C/E            G
FOR THE CHILDREN AND THE FLOWERS ARE MY SISTERS AND MY BROTHERS
Em               Bm              C              D
THEIR LAUGHTER AND THEIR LOVELINESS WOULD CLEAR A CLOUDY DAY
G                  D/F#            C/E                 G
LIKE THE MUSIC OF THE MOUNTAINS AND THE COLORS OF THE RAINBOW
Em               G                  D7/F#                  G  C/G, D7/G
THEY'RE A PROMISE OF THE FUTURE AND BLESSING FOR TODAY.
G                D/F#            C/E           G
THOUGH THE CITIES START TO CRUMBLE AND THE TOWERS FALL AROUND US
Em               Bm              C              D
THE SUN IS SLOWLY FADING AND IT'S COLDER THAN THE SEA
G                D/F#            C/E            G
IT IS WRITTEN: FROM THE DESERT TO THE MOUNTAINS THEY SHALL LEAD US
Em               G                  D             D
BY THE HAND, AND BY THE HEART, AND THEY WILL COMFORT YOU AND ME.
C                  C              G                D/F#
IN THEIR INNOCENCE AND TRUSTING, THEY WILL TEACH US TO BE FREE.

(INSTRUMENTAL)  Em, G, D/F#, D/F#, Am, Am, Am, Am, G, C, D,
G                D/F#            C/E           G
FOR THE CHILDREN AND THE FLOWERS ARE MY SISTERS AND MY BROTHERS,
Em               Bm              C              D
THEIR LAUGHTER AND THEIR LOVELINESS WOULD CLEAR A CLOUDY DAY
G                  D/F#            C/E                 G
AND THE SONG THAT I AM SINGING IS A PRAYER TO NONBELIEVERS
Em               G                  D7/F#                  C/G  G, C/G, D7/G, G
COME AND STAND BESIDE US, WE CAN FIND A BETTER WAY