

ISLAND IN THE SUN

C F
THIS IS MY ISLAND IN THE SUN
G7 C
WHERE MY PEOPLE HAVE TOILED SINCE TIME BEGUN
Am F
I MAY SAIL ON MANY A SEA
G7 C
HER SHORES WILL ALWAYS BE HOME TO ME

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AS MORNING BREAKS THE HEAVEN ON HIGH
G7 C
I LIFT MY HEAVY LOAD TO THE SKY
Am F
SUN COMES DOWN WITH A BURNING GLOW
G7 C
MINGLES MY SWEAT WITH THE EARTH BELOW

CHORUS:

C F
OH ISLAND IN THE SUN
G7 C
WILLED TO ME BY MY FATHER'S HAND
Am F
ALL MY DAYS I WILL SING IN PRAISE
G7 C
OF YOUR FOREST WATERS YOUR SHINING SAND

C F
I SEE WOMAN ON BENDED KNEE
G7 C
CUTTING CANE FOR HER FAMILY
Am F
I SEE MAN AT THE WATERSIDE
G7 C
CASTING NETS AT THE SURGING TIDE

CHORUS

C F
I PRAY THE DAY WILL NEVER COME
G7 C
WHEN I CAN'T AWAKE TO THE SOUND OF DRUMS
Am F
OR SMELL THE SALT OF THE ROLLING SEA
G7 C
THESE THINGS MY FATHER GAVE TO ME

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G7 F Fm C
OF YOUR FOREST WATERS ----YOUR SHI - -NING SAND