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Viva la Vida

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A1

p G^Δ A D

S I used to rule the world— Seas would rise when I gave the word

A I used to rule the world— Seas would rise when I gave the word

T *p* I used to rule the world— Seas would rise when I gave the word

B I used to rule the world— Seas would rise when I gave the word

5 Bm G^Δ A D Bm

S Now in the morn-ing I sleep a - lone— Sweep the streets I used to own—

A Now in the morn-ing I sleep a - lone— Sweep the streets I used to own—

T Now in the morn-ing I sleep a - lone— Sweep the streets I used to own—

B Now in the morn-ing I sleep a - lone— Sweep the streets I used to own—

A2

mp G^Δ A D

S I used to roll the dice — Feel the fear in my e - ne - my's eyes.

A I used to roll the dice — Feel the fear in my e - ne - my's eyes.

T *mp* I used to roll the dice — Feel the fear in my e - ne - my's eyes.

B I used to roll the dice — Feel the fear in my e - ne - my's eyes.

Bm G^Δ A D

S — List - en as the crowd — would sing: — "Now the old king is dead! — Long live

A — List - en as the crowd — would sing: — "Now the old king is dead! — Long live

T — List - en as the crowd — would sing: — "Now the old king is dead! — Long live

B — List - en as the crowd — would sing: — "Now the old king is dead! — Long live

Bm *mf* G^Δ A *mp* D

S the king!" One mi - nute I held the key — Next the walls were closed on me

A the king!" One mi - nute I held the key — Next the walls were closed on me

T *mf* the king!" One mi - nute I held the key — *mp* Next the walls were closed on me

B the king!" One mi - nute I held the key — Next the walls were closed on me

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22 *Bm* *p* *G^Δ* *A* *D*

S And I dis-co-vered that my ca - stles stand Up-on pil-lars of salt and pil-lars

A And I dis-co-vered that my ca - stles stand Up-on pil-lars of salt and pil-lars

T *p* And I dis-co-vered that my ca - stles stand Up-on pil-lars of salt and pil-lars

B And I dis-co-vered that my ca - stles stand Up-on pil-lars of salt and pil-lars

26 *Bm* *f* *G* *A* *D*

S of sand I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

A of sand I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

T *f* of sand I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

B of sand I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

30 *Bm* *G* *A* *D*

S - are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

A - are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

T - are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

B - are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

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Bm G A *mf* D

S
eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain. Once you go there was

A
eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain. Once you go there was

T
eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain. Once you go there was

B
eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain. Once you go there was

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Bm *mp* G^Δ A *p* D Bm

S
nev-er, nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I rule the world_

A
nev-er, nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I rule the world_

T
nev-er, nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I rule the world_

B
nev-er, nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I rule the world_

A3
43 *mp* G^{Δ} A D

S1
ee ee

S2
It was the wic-ked and wild wind Blew down the doors to let me in

A
It was the wic-ked and wild wind Blew down the doors to let me in

T1 *mp*
ee ee

T2
ee ee

B
wic - ked and the wild Blew down the

47 Bm G^{Δ} A D

S1
ee ee

S2
Shat-tered win-dows and the sound of drums Peo-ple could-n't be-lieve what I'd

A
Shat-tered win-dows and the sound of drums Peo-ple could-n't be-lieve what I'd

T1
ee ee

T2
ee ee

B
doors Shat-tered win-dows drums Peo - ple could-n't be -

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51 *Bm f* *G* *A* *D*

S1 Re-vo-lu-tio - na - ries wait For my head on a sil-ver plate.

S2 be-come Re-vo-lu-tion - a - ries wait For my head on a sil-ver plate.

A be-come Re-vo-lu-tion - a - ries wait For my head on a sil-ver plate.

T1 ah - ee-ah - ee-ah - ee-ah ah - ee-ah - ee-ah

T2 ah ah ah

B lieve

55 *Bm mp* *G^A* *A* *D*

S1 ee who would ev-er wan-na be king?.

S2 Just a pup-pet on a lone - ly string Ah who would ev-er wan-na be king?.

A Just a pup-pet on a lone - ly string Ah who would ev-er wan-na be king?.

T1 ee ee who would ev-er wan-na be king?.

T2 ah ah ah who would ev-er wan-na be king?.

B who would ev-er wan-na be king?.

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59 **B2**
Bm *ff* G A D

S1 I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing; Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

S2 I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry

A I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

T1 *ff* I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry choirs.

T2 I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry

B I hear Je - ru - sa - lem bells a - ring - ing Ro - man Ca - val - ry

63 Bm G A D

S1 are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

S2 choirs are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a

A are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

T1 are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a for -

T2 choirs are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a

B choirs are sing - ing Be my mir - ror my sword and shield My mis - sion - a - ries in a

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Bm G A D

S1 eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain_ I know Saint Pe-ter won't call_

S2 for - eign field For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain_ I know Saint Pe-ter won't call_

A eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain_ I know Saint Pe-ter won't call_

T1 eign field_ For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain_ I know Saint Pe-ter won't call_

T2 for - eign field For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain_ I know Saint Pe-ter won't call_

B for - eign field For some rea-son I can't_ ex - plain_ I know Saint Pe-ter won't call_

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Bm *mf* G^Δ A *p* D Bm

S1 _ my name_ Nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I ruled the world_

S2 _ my name_ Nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I ruled the world_

A _ my name_ Nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I ruled the world_

T1 *mf* *p* _ my name_ Nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I ruled the world_

T2 _ my name_ Nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I ruled the world_

B _ my name_ Nev-er an hon - est word_ But that was when I ruled the world_

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