

GRACELAND

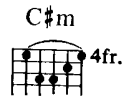
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Moderately



The Mis - sis - sip - pi Del - ta was shin - ing like a Na - tion - al gui -

mf



tar. I am fol - low - ing the riv - er down the

B



high-way through the cra - dle of the Civ - il War. I'm go - ing to Grace -

E B A E

land, Grace - land in Mem-phis, Ten - nes - see. I'm go - ing to Grace - land.
 land, Grace - land. Mem-phis, Ten - nes - see. I'm go - ing to Grace - land.
 land, Grace - land. I'm go - ing to Grace - land.

D A E

For rea - sons I can - not ex - plain, Poor boys and pil - grims with
 boys and pil - grims with there's some

B A E

fam - i - lies_ and we are go - ing to Grace - land.
 fam - i - lies_ and we are go - ing to Grace - land.
 part of_ me wants to see Grace - land.

D  A  E 

My trav - 'ling com - pan - ion is
 My trav - 'ling com - pan - ions are
 And I may be o - bliged to de - fend ev - 'ry



B  A  E 

nine years— old. He is the child of my first mar - riage.
 ghosts and emp - ty sock - ets. I'm look - in' at ghosts and emp - ties.
 love, ev - 'ry end - ing or may - be there's no ob - li - ga - tions, now.



D  A  E 

But I've rea - son to be - lieve we both—
 But I've rea - son to be - lieve we all—
 May - be I've a rea - son to be - lieve we all—



B A E D A

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

To Coda

— will be re - ceived in Grace - land.
 — will be re - ceived in Grace - land.
 — will be re - ceived in Grace - land.

E

0 0 0 0

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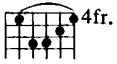
She comes back to tell me she's gone.
 There is a girl in New York Cit - y who

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As if I did - n't know that, as if I did - n't know my own
 calls her - self the hu - man tram - po - line, and

C#m



B



bed, as if I'd nev - er no - ticed
 some-times when I'm fall - ing, fly - ing or tum - bl - ing in tur - moil I say, oh, so this is what she

E



the way she brushed her hair_ from her fore - head. And she said
 means. She means we're bounc - ing in - to Grace-land. And I see

A



los - ing love_ is like a win - dow in your heart.
 los - ing love_ is like a win - dow in your heart.

C#m



Ev - 'ry - bod - y sees you're blown - a - part, — ev - 'ry - bod - y sees the
 Ev - 'ry - bod - y sees you're blown - a - part, — ev - 'ry - bod - y feels the

B



1.

A



2.

A



D.S. $\frac{\text{X}}{\text{X}}$ al Coda \oplus

wind blow. —
wind blow. —

I'm go - ing to Grace -

I'm go - ing to Grace -

Repeat and fade

Coda

D



A



E



B



A



E



D



A

