

Red Right Hand – Nick Cave & The Bad Seeds

[Bm7]Take a little walk to the edge of town, and go across the tracks

Where the viaduct looms like a bird of doom, as it shifts, and cracks

Where [Em] secrets lie, in the border fires, in the humming wires

Hey man you know you're never coming

[Bm7] Back past the square, past the bridge, past the mills, past the stacks

On a [F#7] gathering storm comes a tall handsome man

[F7] / In [E7] a dusty black coat with a red right hand [Bm7] [Bm7]

[Bm7] He'll wrap you in his arms, tell you that you've been a good... boy

He'll re-ignite all the dreams it took you, a lifetime to destroy

He'll [Em] reach deep into the hole, heal your shrinking soul

But there won't be a single thing that you can

Do [Bm7] He's a God, he's a man, he's a ghost, he's a gu-ru...

They're [F#7] whispering his name through this disappearing land

[F7] / But [E7] hidden in his coat is a red right hand [Bm7] [Bm7]

[Bm7] You don't have no money, he'll get you some

You don't have no car, he'll get you one

You [Em] don't have no self respect, you feel like an insect

Well don't you worry buddy 'cause here he

[Bm7] Comes through the ghettos and the barrio and the bowery and the slum

A [F#7] shadow is cast wherever he stands

[F7] / [E7] Stacks of green paper in his red right hand [Bm7] [Bm7]

[Bm7] [Em] [Bm7] [F#7] [E7] ... [Bm7] // [Gm7] (x2) [Bm7]

[Bm7] You'll see him in your nightmares, you'll see him in your dreams

He'll appear out of nowhere, but he ain't, what he seems

You'll [Em] see him in your head on the TV screen

Hey buddy I'm warning you to turn it off

[Bm7] He's a ghost, he's a God, he's a man, he's a gu-ru...

You're one [F#7] microscopic cog in his catastrophic plan [F7] / De[E7]signed

And directed by his red right hand **[Bm7] // [Gm7] (x4) [Bm7] /**

