



The Rose



C **G** **F** **G** **C**
Some say love, it is a river that drowns the tender reed

C **G** **F** **G** **C**
Some say love, it is a razor that leads your soul to bleed

CM7 **Am7** **F** **G7sus4** **G7**
Some say love, it is a hunger, an endless aching need

C **G** **F** **G** **C** **C**
I say love, it is a flower, and you, it's only seed

C **G** **F** **G** **C**
It's the heart, afraid of breaking, that never learns to dance

C **G** **F** **G** **C**
It's the dream, afraid of waking, that never takes the chance

Em **Am** **F** **G7**
It's the one who won't be taken who cannot seem to give

C **G** **F** **G** **C** **C**
And the soul, afraid of dying, that never learns to live

C **G** **F** **G** **C**
When the night has been too lonely and the road has been too long

C **G7** **F** **G** **C**
And you think that love is only for the lucky and the strong

Em **Am** **F** **G7**
Just re-member in the winter, far be-neath the bitter snows

C **G** **F** **G** **C**
Lies the seed that with the sun's love, in the spring be-comes the rose

