

CIRCUS SONG

D/F# C - D - Em
COTTON CANDY, TWO FOR A QUARTER
A7 D - A7 - D
SEE IF THE FAT MAN CAN GUESS YOUR WEIGHT
D C - D - Em
A BIG STUFFED TIGER IS WHAT I BOUGHT HER
A7 D - A7 D, C - D - Em, A7, D, A7
AND I'M GOIN' HOME 'CAUSE IT'S LATE

D/F# C - D - Em
ROLLER COASTERS MAKE ME DIZZY,
A7 D - A7 - D
COTTON CANDY MAKES ME SICK
D C- D- Em
I WISH I HAD SOME BROMO FIZZY
A7 D - A7 D, C - D - Em, A7, D - D7
AND THAT WOULD DO THE TRICK
G - A7 F#m - D7
EVERYONE KNOWS THAT THE CLOWNS AREN'T HAPPY
G - A7 D - D7
AND EVERYONE KNOWS THAT THE PEOPLE DON'T CARE
G - A7 D - B7
I WISH I COULD LAUGH AT THE WAY THAT THEY'RE ACTING
E7 A7
BUT I'M SO SICK I JUST DON'T DARE.

D C - D - Em
HIGH WIRE DANCERS KICK AND BALANCE
A7 D - A7 - D
WHITE SILK HORSES STEP IN TIME
D C- D - Em
THE TATTOOED MAN DISPLAYS HIS TALENTS
A7 D - A7 D C - D - Em A7 D A7
I'M NOT THE TALENTED KIND

D C - D - Em
I ALWAYS GO TO THE CIRCUS ON SUNDAY
A7 D - A7-D
AND THERE I CAN LAUGH AT THE PEOPLE I SEE
D C - D - Em
BUT WHEN I LEAVE HOME IN THE MORNING ON MONDAY
A7 D - A7, D, C-D-Em, A7, D - D7
EVERYBODY LAUGHS AT ME
G - A7 F#m - D7
EVERYONE KNOWS THAT THE CLOWNS AREN'T HAPPY
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AND EVERYONE KNOWS THAT THE PEOPLE DON'T CARE

G - A7 D - B7
I WISH I COULD LAUGH AT THE WAY THAT THEY'RE ACTING
E7 A7
BUT I'M SO SICK I JUST DON'T DARE.

D C - D - Em
TIGHT-COLLARED CLOWNS IN PLASTIC BUILDINGS

A7 **D - A7 - D**
HAVE HAPPY FAMILIES AS THEIR FATE
D **C -D -Em**
HAPPY JOBS AND HAPPY CLUBS
A7 **D - A7, D, C-D-Em, A7, D - D7**
AND HAPPY PEOPLE THEY HATE

D **C - D - Em**
EVERYONE'S JUGGLING AND EVERYONE'S ACTING
A7 **D - A7 - D**
WITH SMILES OF GREASE-PAINT THREE FEET WIDE
D **C - D - Em**
EVERYONE'S CAUGHT ON A CAROUSEL PONY
A7 **D - A7 D, C-D-EM, A7, D-D7**
ONE TIME AROUND IS A LIFETIME RIDE

G - A7 **F#m - D7**
EVERYONE KNOWS THAT THE CLOWNS AREN'T HAPPY
G - A7 **D - D7**
AND EVERYONE KNOWS THAT THE PEOPLE DON'T CARE
G - A7 **D - B7**
I WISH I COULD LAUGH AT THE WAY THAT THEY'RE ACTING
E7 **A7**
BUT I'M SO SICK I JUST DON'T DARE.

D **C - D - Em**
I MAKE OTHER PEOPLE NERVOUS
A7 **D - A7 -D**
I GUESS THAT'S WHY THEY LAUGH AT ME
D **C - D - Em**
BUT TO ME MY LIFE IS A THREE-RING CIRCUS
A7 **D - A7, D, C-D-Em, A7, D - A7**
AND I CAN SEE IT FOR FREE
D **C - D - Em**
HAVE YOU SEEN MY WIFE EL-VIRA
D **C - D - Em**
SHE CAN TAME A LION, YOU KNOW
D **C- D -Em**
I ONCE HAD A BUSHY MANE
A7 **D - A7, D, C-D-Em, A7, D, D, D**
BUT THAT WAS SO DAMNED LONG AGO.