

THE KID (Buddy Mondlock)

G D Em C
I'M THE KID WHO RAN AWAY WITH THE CIRCUS
G D C D
NOW I AM WATERING ELEPHANTS
G D Em C
BUT I SOME TIMES LIE AWAKE IN THE SAWDUST
G D C D
DREAMING THAT I'M IN THE SUIT OF LIGHT
Em G+
LATE AT NIGHT IN THE EMPTY BIG TOP
Em7 C#o
I'M ALL ALONE ON THE HIGH WIRE
Em G+
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN THERE'S NO NET THIS TIME
Em7 C#o
HE'S THE REAL DEATH DEFIER.

G D Em C
I'M THE KID WHO ALWAYS LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW
G D C D
FAILING THE TEST IN GEOGRAPHY
G D Em C
BUT I HAVE SEEN THINGS FAR BEYOND JUST THIS SCHOOL-YARD
G D C D
DISTANT SHORES OF EXOTIC LANDS
Em G+
THERE'S THE SPIRES OF THE TURKISH EMPIRE
Em7 C#o
SIX MONTHS SINCE WE MADE LANDFALL
Em G+
RIDING LOW WITH THE SPICES OF INDIA
Em7 C#o
THROUGH GIBRALTAR WHERE RICH MEN ARE

G D Em C
I'M THE KID WHO THOUGHT WE'D SOME DAY BE LOVERS
G D C D
ALWAYS HELD OUT THAT OUR TIME WOULD TELL
G D Em C
TIME WAS TALKING; GUESS I JUST WASN'T LISTENING
G D C D
NO SURPRISE IF YOU KNOW WE WILL
Em G+
AS WE'RE WALKING OUT TOWARD THE TRAIN STATION
Em7 C#o
THERE'S A WHISPERING RAINFALL
Em G+
WE CROSSED THE BOULEVARD, YOU SLIPPED YOUR HAND IN MINE
Em7 C#o
IN THE DISTANCE THE TRAIN'S LAST CALL

G D Em C
I'M THE KID WHO HAS THIS HABIT OF DREAMING;
G D C D
THAT SOMETIMES GETS ME IN TROUBLE TOO
G D Em C
BUT THE TRUTH IS I COULD NO MORE STOP DREAMING
G D C D
THAN I COULD MAKE THEM ALL COME TRUE.