

IF I HAD MY WAY (PPM)

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E A E A E A  
 YOU READ ABOUT SAMSON, YOU READ ABOUT HIS BIRTH  
 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7  
 HE WAS THE STRONGEST MAN THAT EVER LIVED ON EARTH  
 E A E A E A E A  
 ONE DAY AS SAMSON WAS A-WALKING ALONE  
 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7  
 LOOKED DOWN ON THE GROUND AND SAW AN OLD JAW BONE.  
 E A E A E A E A  
 HE LIFTED UP THAT JAW BONE AND HE SWUNG IT OVER HIS HEAD,  
 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7 E  
 AND WHEN HE GOT TO MOV-IN' TEN THOUSAND WAS DEAD  
 A A7 A7 E E C#m E E Em7 Em7 A A E E E  
 IF I HAD MY WAY IF I HAD MY WAY IN THIS WICKED WORLD  
 E E G#m C#m C#m F# F# B7 B7 E A E A E A E A E A  
 IF I HAD MY WAY, I WOULD TEAR THIS BUILDING DOWN.

E A E A E A E A  
 DELILAH SHE WAS A WOMAN, SHE WAS FINE AND FAIR  
 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7  
 SHE HAD LOVELY LOOKS, GOD KNOWS, AND COAL BLACK HAIR.  
 E A C A E A E A  
 DELILAH SHE CLIMBED UP ON SAMSON'S KNEE SHE SAID  
 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7 Em A7  
 "TELL ME WHERE YOUR STRENGTH LIES, IF YOU PLEASE."  
 E A E A E A E A  
 SHE TALKED SO FINE, SHE TALKED SO FAIR  
 E A E A E A E A  
 SAMSON SAID, "DELILAH, CUT OFF MY HAIR,  
 E A E A E A E A Em A7  
 SHAVE MY HEAD, JUST AS CLEAN AS YOUR HAND AND MY STRENGTH WILL  
 Em A7 E A E  
 BE LIKE A NATURAL MAN."

A A7 A7 E E C#m E E Em7 Em7 A A E E E  
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