Ripple Jerry Garcia and Robert Hunter

[Intro]

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| G (2) If my words did glow with the gold of sunshine, C (3) G and my tunes were played on the harp unstrung, G (2) Would you hear my voice come through the music, C G D C Would you hold it near as it were your own? | | | | | | |
| G (2) It's a hand-me-down, the thoughts are broken, C (3) G perhaps they're better left unsung. G (2) I don't know, don't really care, G D C G (2) let there be songs to fill the air. | | | | | | |
| Chorus: Am (2) D (2) Ripple in still water, G C when there is no pebble tossed, A7 D nor wind to blow. | | | | | | |
| G (2) C (2) Reach out your hand if your cup be empty, C (3) G if your cup is full may it be again. | | | | | | |
| G (2) C (2) | | | | | | |

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G

Let it be known there is a fountain, G D C G that was not made by the hands of men.

G (2) C (2)

There is a road, no simple highway, C (3)

Between the dawn and the dark of night,

G (2) C (2)

and if you go no one may follow,

G D C G (2)

that path is for your steps alone.

Chorus:

Am (2) D (2)

Ripple in still water,

G

when there is no pebble tossed,

A7 D

nor wind to blow.

G (2) C (2)

You who choose to lead must follow,

C (3)

but if you fall you fall alone.

G(2) C(2)

If you should stand then who's to guide you?

G D C G

If I knew the way I would take you home.

Repeat last verse singing la-da-da's:

G (2) C (2)

La da da da, La da-ah da da-ah,

C (3)

Da da da, da da, da da da da

G (2) C (2)

La da da da, La da-ah da da

G D C G (Hold final G)

La da da da, La-da, da da da-ah

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Chord Guide:

| G: | 3 4 3x0003 | C: | 32 1 x32010 | D: | 132 xx0232 | Am: | 231 x02210 |
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Finger picking style from Nick Covelli

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