

# FALLING SLOWLY

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Slowly ♩ = 69

C Fsus2 C Fsus2

mp

(with pedal)

This section shows the first four measures of the piece. The guitar part consists of four measures with chords C, Fsus2, C, and Fsus2. The piano accompaniment features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, with a pedal point in the bass.

Verse 1:

C Fsus2 C Fsus2

1. I don't know you, but I want you all the more for that.

This section covers the first two lines of the verse. The guitar part has four measures with chords C, Fsus2, C, and Fsus2. The piano accompaniment continues with the same melodic and harmonic structure as the first section.

C Fsus2 C

Words fall through me and always fool me and I can't re-act.

This section covers the third line of the verse. The guitar part has three measures with chords C, Fsus2, and C. The piano accompaniment continues with the same melodic and harmonic structure.

Fsus2



Am7



G



Fsus2



G



Games that nev - er a - mount to more than they're

Am7



G



F(9)



Fsus2



meant will play them-selves out. —

*cresc.*

*Chorus:*



Fsus2



Am7



Take this sink - in' boat and point it home, we've still got

*mf*

Fsus2



C



Fsus2



time. \_\_\_\_\_ Raise your hope - ful voice, you have a

Am7



Fsus2



choice, you make it now.

*decesc.*

Verse 2:

C



Fsus2



C



2. Fall - ing slow - ly, eyes that know me and I can't go back.

*mp*

Fsus2



C



Fsus2



C



Moods that take me and e - rase me and I'm paint - ed black.

Fsus2



Am



Em/G



Fsus2



G



Well, you have suf-fered e - nough and warred with your -



self. It's time that you won. \_

*cresc.*

Chorus:



Take this sink - in' boat and point it home, we've still got

*mf*



time. \_\_\_\_\_ Raise your hope - ful voice, you have a



choice, you've made it now. \_\_\_\_\_ Fall - in' slow - ly,

Fsus2



Am7



Fsus2



sing your mel - o - dy, I'll sing it loud.

C



Fsus2



Am7



(Strings)

Fsus2



G/F



*gva.* Take it all.

Fsus2



I paid the cost too late, now you're gone.

G/F



F(9)



(Strings)

Fsus2



C



Fsus2



C



Fsus2



C

