

Find The River - R.E.M.

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Key: Capo: Notes: 72 bpm

*Sometimes the open (e) is played on the up-strum, sometimes it's muted.

**There is debate whether this is dessert, desserts, or deserve. 'Deserve' live.

[Intro]

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          D          Em9
e |-----2-----2-----|
B |---3---3---3---3---3---|
G |--2---2---2---0---0---| x2
D | -0---0---2---2---2---|
A |-----|
E |-----|
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          D  Fmaj13  A7sus4  G6add9*  D  Fmaj13  A7sus4
e | -2---0---0---0---(0)---2---0---0---0---|
B | -3---3---3---3---3---3---3---3---3---|
G | -2---0---0---0---2---2---0---0---0---| x2
D | -0---3---2---0---0---3---2---2---|
A |-----x-----0---0---|
E |-----3-----|
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[Verse 1]

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          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4          G6add9
Hey now little speedy head, the read on the speedmeter says
          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4
you have to go the task in the city.
          D          Fmaj13
Where people drown and people serve,
          A7sus4          G6add9          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4
don't be shy, your just deserve" is only just light years to go.
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[Chorus]

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          G          A          D          Em
Me, my thoughts are flower strewn, ocean storm, bayberry moon.
          G          A          D
I have got to leave to find my way.
          G          A          D          Em
Watch the road and memorize this life that pass before my eyes,
          G          A
nothing is going my way.
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[Break]

D – Fmaj13 – A7sus4 – G6add9 – D – Fmaj13 – A7sus4

[Verse 2]

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          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4          G6add9
The ocean is the rivers goal, a need to leave the water knows.
          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4
We're closer now than light years to go.
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[Chorus]

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          G          A          D          Em
I have got to find the river, bergamot and vetiver.
          G          A          D
Run through my head and fall away.
          G          A          D          Em
Leave the road and memorize this life that pass before my eyes,
          G          A          D
nothing is going my way.
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[Repeat Intro Riff]

[Verse 3]

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          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4          G6add9
There's no one left to take the lead, but I tell you and you can see
          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4
we're closer now and light years to go.
          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4          G6add9
Pick up here and chase the ride. The river empties to the tide;
          D          Fmaj13          A7sus4
Fall into the ocean.
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[Chorus]

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          G          A          D          Em
The river to the ocean goes, a fortune for the undertow.
          G          A          D
None of this is going my way.
          G          A          D          Em
There is nothing left to throw of ginger, lemon, indigo,
          G          A          D
Coriander stem and rose of hay.
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[Chorus]

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          G          A          D          Em
Strength and courage overrides these privileged and weary eyes of
          G          A          D
River poet search naive.
          G          A          D          Em
Pick up here and chase the ride, the river empties to the tide.
          G          A          D
All of this is coming your way.
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[Outro]

[Could play this on 5th fret as well]

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          D
e |-----5---2-----5---3---|
B |---2---3---3---2---2---|
G |--3---2---2---3---| x2
D | -0---0---|
A |-----|
E |-----|
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