

SPEED OF SOUND

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A major (in (H))

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Asus⁴

Em⁷

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A

Em⁷

1. How long be - fore I get in, _____
2. Look up, I look up at night, _____
3. I - deas that you'll ne - ver find, _____
be - fore it _____
pla - nets are mov -
all the in - ven -

— starts, be - fore I be - gin?
 - ing at the speed of light.
 - tors could ne - ver de - sign

How long be - fore you de - cide,
 Climb up, up in the trees,
 the build - ings that you put up,

Em⁷
 — be - fore I know
 — ev -'ry chance that you get
 — Ja - pan and Chi

what it feels like?
 is a chance you seize.
 na all lit up.

Where
 How
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to, where do I go?
 long am I gon-na stand
 sign that could - n't read,

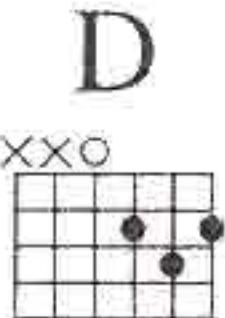
If you ne - ver try
 with my head stuck un - der the sand?
 or a light that I could-n't see.

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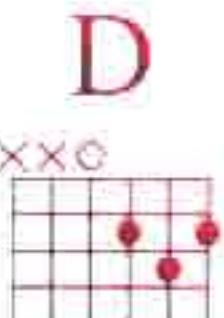
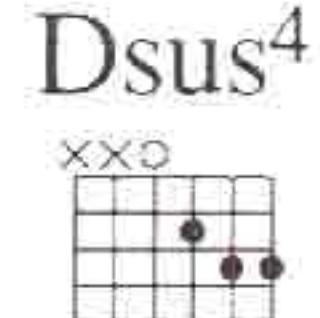
How long do I have to climb
 I'll start be - fore I can stop,
 Some things you have to be - lieve,

up on the side
 be - fore I see
 oth - ers are puz -

1.



2, 3.

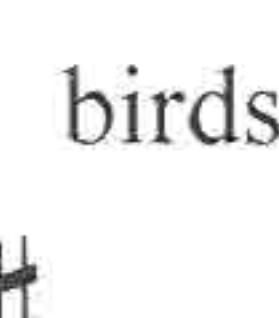


— of this moun-tain of mine?
— things the right way up.
— zles puz - zl - ing me.

All that noise — and all that sound.

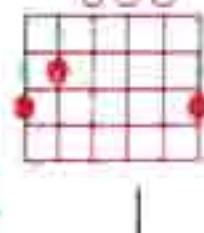
All those pla - ces I — got found.

And



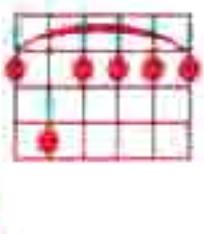
birds go fly - ing at the speed of sound — to show you how it all be - gan.

Keep running forward

G


 Birds came fly - ing from the un - der - ground, if you could

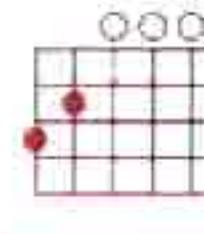
Bin


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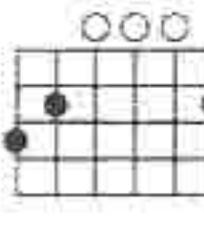
 To Coda 

D.S. al Coda

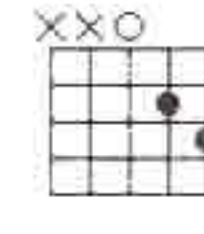
see it then you'd un - der - stand.

0 Coda G


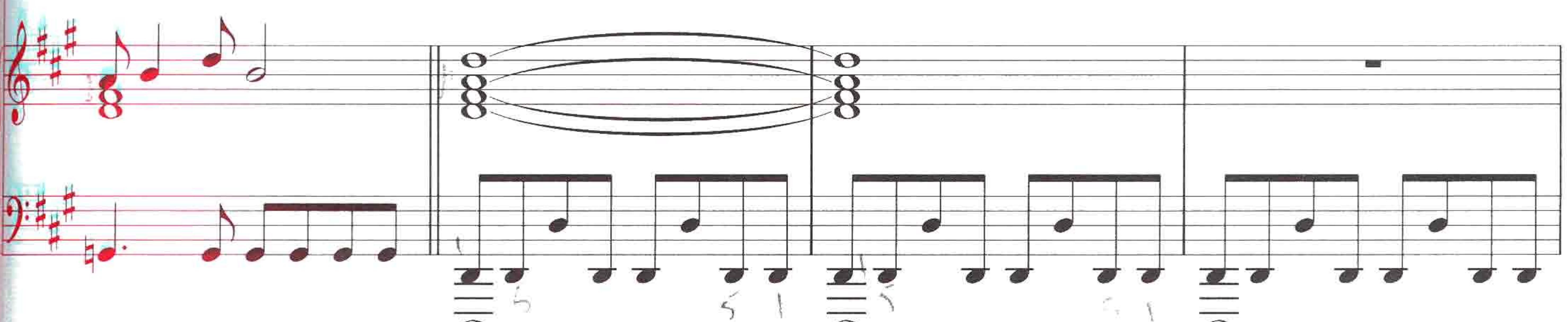
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Ah, when you see it then you'll un - der - stand.

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All those signs, — I knew what they
meant. Some things you can't invent. Some get made

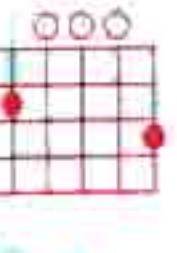
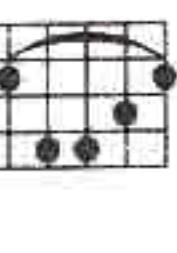
— and some get sent. — Ooh. — And

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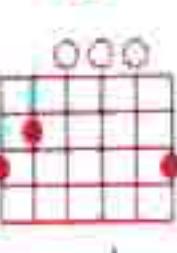
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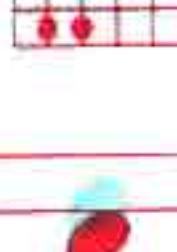
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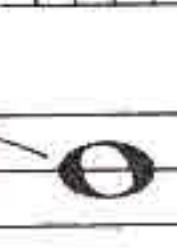

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