

# THE MAKER

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Three notes on guitar (in F) for intro, just before the drums

G-----  
D -----1--3-----  
A -----  
E --1-----

F  
/ + + + + | \* 4

*Dm* *C* *F*  
Oh, oh deep water,  
*Dm* *C* *F*  
black and cold like the night  
*Bb* *C*  
I stand with arms wide open  
*F* *Bb*  
I've run a twisted line  
*Bb* *C* *F*  
I'm a stranger in the eyes of the Maker / + + + + | \* 4 // incl. Maker

*Dm* *C* *F*  
I could not see for the fog in my eyes  
*Dm* *C* *F*  
I could not feel for the fear in my life  
*Bb* *C* *F* *Bb*  
From across the great divide, In the distance I saw a light  
*Bb* *C* *F*  
Of Jean Baptiste walking to me with the Maker / + + + + | \* 2

*Dm* *C* *F*  
My body is bent and broken  
*Dm* *C* *F*  
by long and dangerous sleep  
*Bb* *C* *F* *Bb*  
I can't work the fields of Abraham and turn my head away  
*Bb* *C* *F*  
I'm not a stranger in the hands of the Maker

Guitar solo  
/ + + + + | \* 4

*Dm* *C* *F*  
Brother John, have you seen the homeless daughters  
*Dm* *C* *F*  
Standing there with broken wings  
*Bb* *C*  
I have seen the flaming swords  
*F* *Bb*  
There over east of eden  
*Bb* *C* *F*  
Burning in the eyes of the Maker

*Bb* *C* *F*  
Burning in the eyes of the Maker  
*Bb* *C* *F*  
Burning in the eyes of the Maker

*F*  
Oh, river rise from your sleep