

Ladies of the Canyon

Joni Mitchell

C A G/C D D D

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A
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D D D C GM7 G GM7 G6 G D

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Tri-na wears her wam-pum beads she fills her draw-ing book with lines
An-nie sits you down to eat she al-ways makes you wel-come in
Es-trel-a cir-cus girl come wrapped in songs and gyp-sy shawls
Tri-na takes her paints and threads she weaves a pat-tern all her own

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sew-ing lace on wid-ow's weeds and fil-li-gree on leaf and vine
cats and ba-bies round her feet and all are fat and none are thin
songs like tin-y ham-mers hurled at bev-eled mirrors in emp-ty halls
An-nie bakes her cakes and breads she gath-ers flow-ers for her home
vine and leaf are none are thin and emp-ty halls and for her home she

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fil - i - gree and her coat's a sec - ond hand one trimmed in an - tique lux - u - ry she
all are fat she may bake some brown - ies to - day say - ing you are wel - come back she
be - ved mirrors sail - ing seas and climb - ing ban - yans come out for a vis - it here to
gathers flowers and es - trel - la dear com - pan - ion col - ors up the sun - shine hours

3 3 3 5 5 5 8 0 0 4 7 3 3 2 5 5 3 3 2

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G GM7 G6 G D D D D C GM7 G GM7 G6 G

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is a la - dy of the can - yon do do do do do do do do do do do do
is a la - dy of the can - yon do do do do do do do la la la la la
be a la - dy of the can - yon do do do do do do do do do do do do
pour - ing mu - sic down the can - yon do do do do do do do la la la la la

3 2 0 3 2 0 3 3 3 5 5 5 8 8 7 7 2 3 2 5 3 3 2 5 3

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do do do
la la la
do do do
la la la color - ing the sun shine hours they are the la - dies of the can - yon

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