Hurricane Eye Chords by Paul Simon



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Hurricane Eye (Paul Simon) - [4/4], Key = D
Intro: | D | % ||: D | A :|| A7 D |
Sect 1: | D | G | D | A D | D | A | D | A D | D | G | D | A D |
Sect 2: [6/8] | D | Em | A7 | G D |
             | D | Em | A7 | G D | | | | | | |
             | D | % | G | % | A | % |
             | D | % | G | A | D | Bm | G | A | D | % |
       [4/4] | D | A7 | D | A7 D |
Sect 2.1: [6/8] | D | Em | A7 | G D |
              | D | Em | A7 | G D |
               | D | % | G | % | A | % | D | % |
         [7/8] ||: E :|| x 16
Sect 3: [6/8] ||: D | C G | G / / / A | D :|| x5
Sect 4: [2/2] ||: D | C G / / | G / / A | D :|| x4 end on D
Note: This song changes time signatures a quite a bit. Unless explicitly noted, the chart is in [4/4].
I've noted below when a time signature change occurs.
Intro: | D | % ||: D | A :|| A7 D |
Section 1:
Tell us all a story about how it used to be
Make it up and then write it down just like history
About Goldilocks and the three bears nature in the crosshairs
                             Α
And how we all ascended from the deep green sea
When it's not too hot, not too cold, not too meek, not too bold
                          A D
Where it's just right and you have sunlight
Section 2: [6/8]
        D
                    A7
Then we're home
      G D
Finally home
Home in the land of the homeless, finally home
D G
 Oh, what are we going to do?
          D
I never did a thing to you
G A D
Time peaceful as a hurricane eye
G A D
Peaceful as a hurricane eye
Section 1: [4/4]
A history of whispers, a shadow of a horse
                    Α
Faces painted black in sorrow and remorse
White cloud, black crow, crucifix and arrow
The oldest silence speaks the loudest
                  D
Under the deep green sea, when speech becomes a crime
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Silence leads the spirit over the bridge of time
Section 2.1:
[6/8] | D | Em |
Over the bridge of time, I'm walking with my family
  A G
And the road begins to climb
And then it's, oh, Lord, how we going to pray \boldsymbol{A} \qquad \boldsymbol{D}
With crazy angel voices all night
      [7/8] E
Until it's a new day
Peaceful as a hurricane
Peaceful as a hurricane
Peaceful as a hurricane eye
Peaceful as a hurricane
Peaceful as a hurricane
Peaceful as a hurricane eye
Peaceful as a hurricane eye
Section 3:
[6/8]
You want to be leader? You want to change the game?
                              A D
Turn your back on money, walk away from fame
                                              C G
You want to be a missionary? You got that missionary zeal?
Let a stranger change your life. How's that make you feel?
                                            C G
You want to be a writer, but you don't know how or when
Find a quiet place, use a humble pen
Section 4:
[2/2]
D
You want to talk, talk, talk about it
   C G
All night squawk about
The ocean and the atmosphere
                        C G
Well, I've been away for a long time
                    A D
And it looks like a mess a-round here
                 C G
And I'll be away for a long time
               A D
So here's how the story goes
There was an old woman who lived in a shoe
                  A D
She was baking a cinnamon pie
                 С
She fell asleep in a washing machine
               A D
Woke up in a hurricane eye
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