

# Falling Slowly

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*C* *Fsus2* *C* *Fsus2*  
I don't know you, but I want you all the more for that  
*C* *F* *C* *F*  
Words fall through me and always fool me, and I can't react

*Am7*<sub>(½)</sub> *G*<sub>(½)</sub> *Fadd2*<sub>(½)</sub> *G*<sub>(½)</sub>  
And games that never amount to more than they're  
*Am7*<sub>(½)</sub> *G*<sub>(½)</sub> *Fsus9* *Fsus2*  
meant will play themselves out

*C* *Fsus2* *Am7* *Fsus2*  
Take this sinking boat and point it home. We've still got time.  
*C* *Fsus2* *Am7* *Fsus2* *Fsus2*  
Raise your hopeful voice, you have a choice, you've made it now

*C* *Fsus2* *C* *Fsus2*  
Falling slowly, eyes that know me, and I can't go back  
*C* *Fsus2* *C* *Fsus2*  
Moods that take me and erase me, and I'm painted black

*Am7*<sub>(½)</sub> *Em/G*<sub>(½)</sub> *Fadd2*<sub>(½)</sub> *G*<sub>(½)</sub>  
You have suffered enough, and warred with your  
*Am7*<sub>(½)</sub> *Em/G*<sub>(½)</sub> *Fsus9* *Fsus2*  
self; it's time that you won

*C* *Fsus2* *Am7* *Fsus2*  
Take this sinking boat and point it home. We've still got time.  
*C* *Fsus2* *Am7* *Fsus2* *Fsus2*  
Raise your hopeful voice, you have a choice, you've made it now

*C* *Fsus2* *C* *Fsus2*  
Falling slowly sing your melody and I'll sing aloud  
*C* *Fsus2* *Am7* *Fsus2*  
and I'll sing along.