

Fountain of Sorrow

by Jackson Brown (2008) (3/4 time)

Dm Looking through some photo *Csus4(½)* *C(½)* *Bb* *F* graphs I found inside a drawer. I was
Dm taken by a photo *Csus4(½)* *C(½)* *Bb* *F* graph of you There were
Dm one or two I know that you would have liked a little more, *Bb* *F* but they
Dm didn't show your spirit *Csus4(½)* *C(½)* *Bb* *F* quite as true. You were
Am turning 'round to see who was behind you. *Am* *F* *Bb(½)* *F(½)* And I
Am took your childish laughter by surprise *Am* *C* *C/Bb(½)* *Am7/C(½)* and at the
Bb/F moment that my camera happened to find you. *Bb(½)* *C(½)* *Dm* *Dm* There was
Gm7 just a trace of sorrow in your eyes. *Bb* *F* *Bb(½)* *F(½)* Now the

things that I remember seem so distant and so small. Though it
 hasn't really been that long a time. What
 I was seeing wasn't what was happening at all. Although
 for a while, our path did seem to climb. But when you
 see through love's illusions, there lies the danger
 And your perfect lover just looks like a perfect fool
 So you go running off in search of a perfect stranger
 While the loneliness seems to spring from your life like a fountain from a pool

Bb *F/C* *Bdim7* *Dm(½)* *C(½)*

Fountain of sorrow, fountain of light

Bb *F/C* *Bdim7* *Dm(½)* *C(½)*

You've known that hollow sound of your own steps in flight

Bb *F/C* *Bdim7* *Dm(½)* *C(½)*

You've had to hide sometimes, but now you're all right. And it's

F/C *Bb/C* *Bb* *F/A(½)* *Gm7(½)*

good to see your smiling face tonight. Now for

you and me it may not be that hard to reach our dreams, but that
 magic feeling never seems to last. And while the
 future's there for anyone to change, still you know it's seems, It would be
 easier sometimes to change the past. I'm just

one or two years and a couple of changes behind you in my
 lessons at love's pain and heartache school. Where if you
 feel too free and you need something to remind you, there's this
 loneliness springing up from your life like a fountain from a pool

Fountain of sorrow, fountain of light

You've known that hollow sound of your own steps in flight

You've had to hide sometimes but now you're all right

And it's good to see your smiling face tonight. *F* *Em7* *F/A* *Csus4(½)* *C(½)*

Fountain of sorrow, fountain of light

You've known that hollow sound of your own steps in flight

You've had to struggle, you've had to fight

To keep understanding and compassion in sight

You could be laughing at me, you've got the right

But you go on smiling so clear and so bright