

THE DIFFERENCE

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Key Em

Time sig 4/4



INTRO

1				A7
2	Em	D	G	D
6	C	Am	F	Am
				I

VERSE 1

10	Em	D	G	D
	stand confused and	battered, and	try to under-	stand The
14	C	Am	F	Am
	richer thoughts this	moment now con-	tains,	The
18	Em	D	Em	D
	difference that it	makes to reach to-	wards a troubled	hand, And
22	C	Am	Dm	Em
	what it is	to just let	go of what re-	mains
26	A	A7		
		I		

VERSE 2 (as Verse 1)

28	Em	D	G	D
	stand confused, be-	fuddled etc		
	V			
40	C	Am	Dm	Em
	what it takes	to step a-	way from all the	rest
44	A	A7		
	A			

BRIDGE 1

46	E	C	D	E
	young boy dies of	stab wounds in the	street,	An
50	A	C	G	Am
	older girl for	shelter in the	cold,	And
54	E	C	D	E
	still your arms	are where these cares un-	fold	
58	A	A7		

INSTRUMENTAL (as Verse 1)

60	Em	D	G	D
64	C	Am	F	Am
68	Em	D	Em	D
72	C	Am	Dm	Em
76	A	A7		
		There's		

BRIDGE 2 (as Bridge 1)

78	E	C	D	E
	half a world etc			
	V			
86	E	C	D	E
	still your tears mean	more than this to	me	

90	A	A7
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VERSE 3 (as Verse 1)

92	Em	D	G	D
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stand bemused, con-

founded etc

V

104	C	Am	Dm	Em
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difference I can

always make

to yours in-

stead

108	A	A7
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v1 I stand contused and battered, and try to understand
The richer thoughts this moment now contains:
The difference that it makes to reach and take a troubled hand,
And what it is to just let go of what remains.

v2 I stand confused, befuddled, and try to comprehend
The starker truths this moment has confessed:
The difference that it makes to reach towards a troubled friend,
And what it takes to step away from all the rest.

Br1 A young boy dies of stab wounds in the street,
An old girl criies for shelter in the cold,
And still your arms are where these cares unfold.

Br2 There's half a world with not enough to eat,
Its fleeing children drowning in the sea,
And still your tears mean more than this to me.

v3 I stand bemused, confounded, the logic now unfurled,
An old conundrum turned upon its head:
The difference that I'll never make within this troubled world,
The difference I can always make in yours instead.