

Wheatland (for Peter)

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D
suddenly, I was looking down upon

D **Gsus2**
Wheatland shining in the sun

D
Spring erupting from the trees

Gsus2
and the flowers and the furrowed field

F# **Bm**
light as a dove, I rose and hovered on the breeze

D **A**
I am free, I am free

D
and I could see tears falling like the dew

D **Gsus2**
on family, friends and all my brothers, too

D
beneath the oaks, gathered ghostly shades

D **Gsus2**
Johnny Reb beside Pamunkey braves

F# **Bm**
sending their own where father and forefather surely went before

D **A**
to Kingdom's shore, to Kingdom's shore

G
Wheatland

G **Bm**
where roots and river go hand in hand

Bm **G**
where life and love began

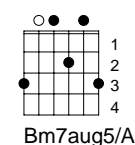
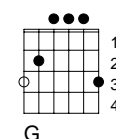
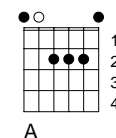
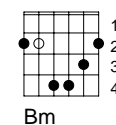
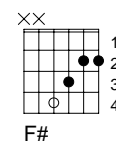
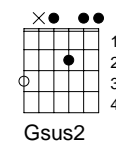
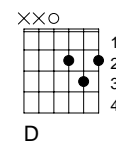
Bm7aug5/A **A**
I am sleeping in the sand

D
then, I beheld a vast horizon to the sea

D **Gsus2**
and mountains towering under feet

D
I knew ages past and yet to be

D **Gsus2**
and light was pouring over me



and filled with love, the Shepherd called me safely on
to my home, to my home

G
Wheatland

G Bm
where roots and river go hand in hand

Bm G
where life and love began

Bm7aug5/A A
I am sleeping in the sand

D
and, instantly, I felt every grieving heart

D Gsus2
and I could reach inside and be a part

D
in days to come when your sorrow finally wanes

D Gsus2
you'll find peace awaits where I remain

F# Bm
and I'll be near, in the water, the wild geese and on the summer breeze

D A
because I'm free, because I'm free

G
Wheatland

G Bm
where roots and river go hand in hand

Bm G
where life and love began

Bm7aug5/A A
I am sleeping in the sand