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Garden Song

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Moderately

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time, marked *mf*. The right hand plays a melody of eighth and quarter notes, while the left hand plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

Chords: C, F/A, C, F, G, C

Inch by inch, row by _ row, _ gon-na make this gar-den grow, _

Chords: F/A, G, C, F/A, G

All it takes is a rake and a hoe and a piece of fer-tile ground. _

Chords: C, F/A, C, F, G, C

Inch by inch, row by _ row, _ Some-one bless _ the seeds I sow, _

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Some-one warm them from be - low, — 'til the rain comes tum - bl - ing







down.









Pull-ing weeds _ and pick-in' stones, _ man is made _ of dreams _ and bones, _







Feel the need to grow my own _ 'cause the time is _ close at hand. _

Chord diagrams: C, C/E, F, C/E, F, G, C

Grain for grain, sun and rain, find my way in na-ture's chain,

Chord diagrams: F, G, C, F, G, C

To my bod-y and my brain to the mu-sic from the land.

Red. *

Chord diagrams: G, C, G, C

Chord diagrams: G, C









Plant your rows _ straight and long, _ thick-er than _ with pray'r and song,







Moth-er Earth will make you strong if you give her love and care.









Old _ crow watch-in' hun - gri - ly _ from his perch _ in yon-der tree,








In my gar-den I'm as free _ as that feath-ered beak up there.

Chord diagrams: G, C, G

Chord diagrams: C, C/E, F, C/E, F, G

Inch by inch, row by — row, — gon - na make this

Chord diagrams: C, F, G, C

gar - den grow. — All it takes is a rake and a hoe and a

Chord diagrams: F, G, C, C/E

piece of fer - tile ground. — Inch by inch,







row by row, — some - one bless the seeds I sow,







Some - one warm — them from be - low — 'til the rain comes turn - bl - ing





Melody down.






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