

RED RIGHT HAND

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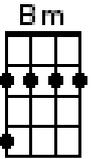
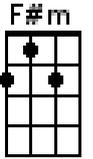
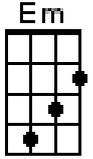
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Intro: [Bm] [Bm] [Bm] [Bm]

[Bm] Take a little walk to the edge of town and go across the tracks
 Where the viaduct looms like a bird of doom as it shifts and cracks
 Where [Em] secrets lie in the border fires, in the humming wires
 Hey man, you know you're never coming back
 Past the [Bm] square, past the bridge, past the mills, past the stacks
 On a [F#7] gathering storm comes a tall handsome man
 In a [Em]↓ dusty black coat with a red right hand [Bm] [Bm] [Bm] [Bm]



He'll [Bm] wrap you in his arms, tell you that you've been a good boy
 He'll rekindle all the dreams it took you a lifetime to destroy
 He'll [Em] reach deep into the hole, heal your shrinking soul
 But there won't be a single thing that you can do
 He's a [Bm] god, he's a man, he's a ghost, he's a guru
 They're [F#7] whispering his name through this disappearing land
 But [Em]↓ hidden in his coat is a red right hand [Bm] [Bm] [Bm] [Bm]

You [Bm] don't have no money, he'll get you some
 You don't have no car, he'll get you one
 You [Em] don't have no self-respect, you feel like an insect
 Well, don't you worry buddy 'cause here he comes
 Through the [Bm] ghettos, and the barrio, and the bowery, and the slum
 A [F#7] shadow is cast wherever he stands
 [Em]↓ Stacks of green paper in his red right hand [Bm] [Bm] [Bm] [Bm]

[Bm]

You'll [Bm] see him in your nightmares you'll see him in your dreams
 He'll appear out of nowhere but he ain't what he seems
 You'll [Em] see him in your head on the TV screen
 Hey buddy I'm warning you to turn it off
 He's a [Bm] ghost, he's a god, he's a man, he's a guru
 You're one [F#7] microscopic cog in his catastrophic plan
 De-[Em]↓ signed and directed by his red right hand [Bm] [Bm] [Bm] [Bm]