

Red Right Hand - Nick Cave and the Bad Seeds

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
Em Where secrets lie in the border fires, in the humming wires
Hey man, you know, you're never coming back
Bm Past the square, past the bridge, past the mills, past the stacks. On
a
F#m gathering storm comes a tall handsome man in a
Em dusty black coat with a red right hand **Bm**

[Verse 2]

Bm He'll 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
Em He'll reach deep into the hole, heal your shrinking soul,
but there won't be a single thing that you can do
Bm He's a god, he's a man, he's a ghost, he's a gu ru. They're
F#m whispering his name, through this disappearing land, but
Em hidden in his coat is a red right hand **Bm**

[Verse 3]

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

Solo over progression followed by **Bm to G x 4**

[Verse 4]

Bm You'll 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
Em You'll see him in your head, on the TV screen
And hey buddy I'm warning you to turn it off
Bm He's a ghost, he's a god, he's a man, he's a gu ru. You're one
F#m microscopic cog in his catastrophic plan
Em Designed and directed by his red right hand **Bm**

Solo over progression followed by **Bm to G x 6**