

DIAMONDS & RUST intro: /Em /Em9 Em /Em /Em9 Em/ Em / Gmaj7 / G / A / G / F#m / G / F#m / B7 / B7 / B7 / B7 Joan Baez

/ Em / 1, 2, 3, 4, / C 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3, 4, / G 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2,
Well I'll be damned Here comes your ghost again---- but that's not unusual

3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2 3 4, / Em /Em9 Em
It's just that the moon is full-- & you happened to call

/ Em / 1, 2, 3, 4, / C / 1, 2 3, 4 / G 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2,
and here I sit-- hand on the telephone— hearing a voice I'd known--

3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2 3, 4, / Em / Em9 Em / Em / Em9 Em /
a couple of light years ago-- heading straight for a fall

Em / 1, 2, 3, 4, / C 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3, 4, / G 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2,
As I remember your eyes-- were bluer than robin's eggs My poetry was lousy you said

3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2 3 4, / Em / Em9 Em
Where are you calling from? A booth in the Midwest

/Em / 1, 2, 3, 4, / C / 1, 2, 3, 4, / G 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2,
Ten years ago-- I bought you some cufflinks You brought me something

3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3, 4, / Em /Em9 Em /Em /Em9 Em
we both know what memories can bring; they bring diamonds & rust----

/ Em / Gmaj7 / G / A / G / F#m / G / F#m / B7 / B7 / B7 / B7 /

/ Em / 1, 2 3 4, / C 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3 4, / G / 1, 2,
Well you-- burst on the scene already a legend, the unwashed phenomenon

3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3 4, / Em / Em9 Em
the original vagabond You-strayed-in to - my-arms

/ Em / 1, 2 3, 4, / C / 1, 2 3 4 / G 2, 3, 4, / 1,
& there you stayed temporarily lost at sea The Madonna was yours for free

2, 3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3, 4, / Em / Em9 Em / Em / Em9 Em /
yes-the-girl on the half shell would keep you unharmed

4, / Bm 2, 3, BRIDGE 4, / 1, 2, 3, 4, / Am / Am 2, 3,
Now-I see-you standing-with-brown-leaves falling-all-around & snow in your hair--

4, / Bm / Am / Am 2, 3,
Now you're smiling out the window-of-that-crummy-hotel over Washington Square

4, / C / 1 2 3 4, / G 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3,
Our breath comes out white clouds mingles-&-hangs-- in the air

4, / Fmaj7 / G / B7 / Em / Em9 Em / Em / Em9 Em /
Speaking strictly for me, we both could have died, then & there

Em / 1, 2, 3, 4, / C 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2 3, 4, / G 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2,
Now you're telling me You're not nostalgic Well-give-me-another word for it

3, 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2 3, 4, / Em / Em9 Em
You-were-so good-with-words & at keeping things vague

/Em 2, 3, 4 /Em 2, 3, 4, / C 2, 3, 4, / 1, 2, 3, 4, / G
cos I need some-of-that-vagueness-now, it's all come back too clearly Yes I loved you dearly

2, 3, 4, / 1, 2 3 4, / D 2, 3, 4, / 1 2, 3, 4, / Em / Em9 Em / Em / Em9 Em / Em
&-if-you're-offering-me-diamonds & rust, I've al - ready paid----- T&F 6-5-22 1-strum