

# Downstream

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Key of C, 6/4 time, tempo 142, RB capo A3C, Jim:Mandolin

C F C F

C F  
Splitting the difference 'tween fire and ice

C G  
Knowing what can't be explained

C F  
Virtue can take on a clever disguise

C G C  
Leaving us no one to blame

C F  
Lighting a candle while rolling the stone

C G  
Telling what nobody knows

C F  
Being together while feeling alone

C G C C7  
It's a pity but that's how it goes

## *B part*

F C  
In the dawn / Looking around me to take in the rising anew

F C G G7  
Before long / Riding the current that's sweeping me downstream to you

## *Break: A part*

### *B part*

F C  
A new day / A new month a new year a new life a new love starting soon

F C G  
Drift away / Now that old song is over I'm singing a downstream tune

C F  
Everyone watching what nobody sees

C G  
Hidden while plainly in view

C F  
They'll all be surprised on the **day I break free**

C G C  
And slip away downstream to you.

*outro=repeat last two lines*