CAGED BIRD SINGS

Am C Dm G

Am C

Just because I said I’m yours

Dm G Am

Doesn’t mean you get to close me in and lock the door

C

Thought we were meant to be

Dm G

But you’re too possessive and I gotta find

F

A way to set me free

G C

I got a sacred place

Am G

And it’s all mine no matter what you say C Am

I should have known better

G F

Than to wear your letter

G

Now you think you’re king C Am

But I’m not gonna be discouraged

G F

Gonna find the courage

G

To spread my wings

F G

Now I know why the caged bird sings

Am C Dm G

Am C

Something else you should know Dm

I won’t bite my tongue for you G Am

Just to not rock the boat C

I belong to me

Dm

And what’s it gonna take

G F

For you to finally see

CHORUS

C Am F G

Bb Dm Am G it’s like a distant song that keeps playing til you sing along Bb Dm Am G it’s always in your heart and plays no matter where you are

*[breakout]*

C Am

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To spread my wings F G

Now I know why F G

Now I know why F G

Now I know why the caged bird sings

|C . . . |Am . . G | F . . . | G

C

The caged bird sings