

Garden

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Whose garden is this? It's been
Sorely neglected –
Dry, infertile ground
With weeds and briars.
Who are the gardeners?

3/4 D_m (capo 5)
C C C C
F F D_m
G G G
E_m E_m E_m
F_{strum} A_m A_m A_m

This was our garden. We
Allowed this to happen. Through our
Lack of attention
Entered the man who has
Ravaged our land

C C C C
F F D_m
G G G
E_m E_m E_m
F_{strum} A_m A_m A_m

Listen again, you need to know:
Some demanded change;
We ignored their cry.
Their voters came out
With surprising clout ...
Bringing this drought.

C C F C C
F D_m
C A_m
G E_m
C A_m
A_m D_m G G

This is our garden. We'll
Work to restore it –
Replenish the soil.
This garden is ours;
It again will grow flowers.

C C C C
F F D_m
G G G
E_m E_m E_m
F A_m A_m A_m A_mstrum