

Hold back the river

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Em G C G C G D

p

p

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mp

Tried to keep — you close — to — me, — But life — got — in — be-tween —

Em G C G C G D

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mf

—back the ri-ver, hold—back

mf Once— u - pon— a dif — — ferent life — We rode

Once— u - pon— a dif — — ferent life — We rode

Em Em G C G

mp

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mp

— our bikes — in-to the sky — But now we're caught — a - gainst — the tide — Those dis-

mp

— our bikes — in-to the sky — But now we're caught — a - gainst — the tide — Those dis-

we're caught all

C G D Em G C G

— back the ri-ver, hold — back — Hold — back the ri-ver, let me look in your — eyes Hold —

— back the ri-ver, hold — back — Hold — back the ri-ver, let me look in your eyes Hold —

— back the ri-ver, Hold — back the ri-ver, Hold —

G C2

— back the ri-ver, so I — Can stop — for a minute and see where you — hide Hold — back the ri-ver, hold — back

— back the ri-ver, so I — Can stop — for a minute and see where you hide Hold — back the ri-ver, hold — back

— back the ri-ver, Can stop — for a minute Hold — back the ri-ver,

G2 D

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Lone - ly wa - ter, lone - ly wa - ter, won't you let us wan - der Let us hold — each oth - er

f

Lone - ly wa - ter, lone - ly wa - ter, won't you let us wan - der Let us hold — each oth - er

f

Lone - ly wa - ter, lone - ly wa - ter, won't you let us wan - der Let us hold — each oth - er

f Gno5 C2 Am11

Hold back the ri-ver, let me look in your — eyes Hold — back the ri-ver, so — I — Can stop

Hold back the ri-ver, let me look in your eyes Hold — back the ri-ver, so — I — Can stop

Hold back the ri-ver, Hold — back the ri-ver, Can stop

C2

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—for a mi-nute and be by your—side Hold—back the ri-ver, hold— back
 —for a mi-nute and be by your side Hold—back the ri-ver, hold— back Lone - ly— wa—ter,
 —for a mi-nute Hold—back the ri-ver,

G2 D G2

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lone - ly— wa—ter, — won't you let us— wan—der Let us— hold— each oth - er

C2 Am7 D