

# Waters of March

Bossa Nova ( $\text{J}=126 - 146$ )

— Intro) BEFORE INTRO, PLAY FIRST 11 BARS OF PART E

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C/B $\flat$

(solo gtr.) (etc.)

**A**

C/B $\flat$

(Time, all rhythm)

A M16 (bass in 2)

F $^{\text{M}16}/\text{A}\flat$  C $^{\text{M}16\flat}/\text{G}$  G $^{\text{M}17}$  C $^9$

A stick, a stone, it's the end of the road. — It's the rest of a stump, —

it's a lit - tle a - lone. — It's a sliv - er of glass, — it is life, — it's the sun. —

D $^7/\text{F}^\sharp$  F $^{\text{M}16}$  C $^{\text{M}16\flat}/\text{G}$

It is night, — it is death, — it's a trap, — it's a gun. — The oak when it blooms, —

G $^{\text{M}17}$  C $^9$  D $^7/\text{F}^\sharp$  F $^{\text{M}16}$  C $^{\text{M}16\flat}/\text{G}$

a fox in the brush, — the knot of the wood, — the song of a thrush, — the wood of the wind, —

G $^{\text{M}17}$  C $^9$  D $^7/\text{F}^\sharp$  F $^{\text{M}16}$

a cliff, a fall, — a scratch, a lump, — it is noth - ing at all. —

**B**

C $^{\text{M}16\flat}/\text{G}$  G $^{\text{M}17}$  C $^9$  D $^7/\text{F}^\sharp$

It's the wind blow - ing free, — it's the end — of the slope, — it's a beam, it's a void, —

F $^{\text{M}16}$  C $^{\text{M}16\flat}/\text{G}$  G $^{\text{M}17}$  C $^9$

it's a hunch, — it's a hope. — And the riv - er - bank talks of the wa - ters of March. —

D $^7/\text{F}^\sharp$  F $^{\text{M}16}$  C $^{\text{M}16\flat}/\text{G}$

It's the end of the strain, — it's the joy — in your heart. — The foot, the

**C/B♭** **A<sup>M16</sup>** **F<sup>M16/A♭</sup>** **C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>**

ground, the flesh and the bone, — the beat of the road, — a sling - shot stone, — a fish, a flash, —

**G<sup>M17</sup>** **C⁹** **D⁷/F♯** **F<sup>M16</sup>** **C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>**

— a sil - ver - y glow, — a fight, — a bet, the range of a bow, — the bed of the well, —

**G<sup>M17</sup>** **C⁹** **D⁷/F♯** **F<sup>M16</sup>**

— the end — of the line, — the dis - may — in the face, — it's a loss, it's a find. —

**C** **C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>** **C/B♭** **A<sup>M16</sup>** **F<sup>M16/A♭</sup>**

— A spear, a spike, a point, a nail, a drip, a drop, the end of the tale. —

**C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>** **C<sup>13/G</sup>** **D<sup>13/F♯</sup>**

— A truck-load of bricks in the soft — morn - ing light, — the shot of a gun —

**B♭<sup>13/F</sup>** **C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>** **G<sup>M17</sup>** **C⁹**

— in the dead — of the night. — A mile, — a must, — a thrust, — a bump, —

**D⁷/F♯** **F<sup>M16</sup>** **C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>**

— it's a girl, it's a rhyme, — it's a cold, — it's the mumps. — The plan of the house, —

**G<sup>M17</sup>** **C⁹** **D/C** **F<sup>M16/C</sup>**

— the bod - y in bed, — and the car that got stuck, — it's the mud, — it's the mud. —

**D** **C<sup>MA⁹</sup>** **G<sup>M17/C</sup>** **C⁹/G** **D<sup>13/C</sup>** **F<sup>M16/G<sup>(add 11)</sup>/C</sup>**

— A float, a drift, a flight, a wing, a hawk, — a quail, the prom - ise of spring, —

**C<sup>MA⁹</sup>** **G<sup>M17</sup>** **C⁹** **D⁷/F♯**

— and the riv - er - bank talks of the wa - ters of March. — It's the prom - ise of life, —

**START HERE!**C<sup>MA⁹</sup>F<sup>#</sup>/E

F<sup>M16</sup>      **E** /   
 it's the joy — in your heart. —

+8va----- (fls./pno.) (bass/drs. tacet)

**E♭ / D♭** (Time, add bass/drs.) C/B♭ A<sup>M16</sup>   
 +8va-----

F<sup>M16, MA⁹, A♭</sup> +8va----- C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup> G♭<sup>7(b5)</sup> F<sup>MA⁹(add 6)</sup>   
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**F<sup>M16</sup>** TO INTRO **C<sup>MA⁹</sup>** C/B♭ A<sup>M16</sup>   
 +8va-----

F<sup>M16/A♭</sup> +8va----- C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup> G<sup>M17</sup> C<sup>9</sup>   
 — A snake, — a stick, it is John, it is Joe, —

D<sup>7/F♯</sup> F<sup>M16</sup> C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>   
 — it's a thorn in your hand — and a cut — on your toe. — A point, a

G<sup>M17</sup> C<sup>9</sup> D<sup>7/F♯</sup> F<sup>M16</sup>   
 grain, a bee, a bite, — a blink, — a buzz - zard, a sud - den stroke of

**G** C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup> C/B♭ A<sup>M16</sup>   
 night. A pin, a needle, a sting, a pain, a snail, a

F<sup>M16/A♭</sup> C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup> C<sup>M17/G</sup>   
 rid - dle, a wasp, — a strain, — a pass in the moun - tains, a horse and a mule, —

D<sup>7/F♯</sup> F<sup>M16/C</sup> C<sup>MA⁹/G</sup>   
 — in the dis - tance the shelves — rode three shad - ows of blue, — and the riv - er - bank

**C<sup>MA7/G</sup>**      **D<sup>7/C</sup>**      **D<sub>b</sub><sup>MA7/C</sup>**

**H C<sup>MA9/G</sup>**      **C/B<sub>b</sub>**      **A<sup>MIG</sup>**

**F<sup>M16/A<sub>b</sub></sup>**      **C<sup>MA9/G</sup>**      **G<sup>M17</sup>**      **C<sup>9</sup>**

**D<sup>13/F#</sup>**      **F<sup>M16(add MA7)</sup>**      **G<sup>#7/C</sup>**      **C<sup>MA9/G</sup>**

**G<sup>M17</sup>**      **C<sup>9</sup>**      **D<sup>13/C</sup>**      **F<sup>M16(add MA7)</sup>**      **G<sup>#7/C</sup>**

**I**

1 **C<sup>maj9/G</sup>**      **G<sup>m7</sup>**      **D<sup>7/F#</sup>**      **F<sup>m6</sup>**

5 **C<sup>maj9/G</sup>**      **G<sup>m7</sup>**      **C<sup>9</sup>**      **D<sup>13/F#</sup>**      **F<sup>m6</sup>**

9 **C<sup>maj9/G</sup>**      **C<sup>m7/G</sup>**      **D/G**      **F<sup>m/C</sup>**

13 **C**      **fine**