

Lament for Manus Island 4.7

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♩=110

Melody

Bm F# Bm F#7 Bm F#sus F# G D Em D Em A7 D

1. While peo - ple die on Man - us Isl - and, Pol - i - tic - ians look a - way,
2. Pine and Dut - ton called them squat - ters, But they had no place to go,

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M

5 Bm F# Bm F#7 Bm F#sus F# G D Em D Em A7 D

Hun - gry thirs - ty, plagued by vio - lence, ——— There must be a bet - ter way, *We*
Neith - er safe - ty love nor just - ice, Just dy - ing slow - ly blow by blow.

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A

B

M

Chorus

Bm F# G Em7 F#7 Bm E7 F#7 Bm 1. F#7 Bm 2. F#7 Bm

put them there, we need to care, Why don't we sim - ply bring them here! bring them here! 3. Our

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Bm F# Bm , F#7 Bm F#sus F# G D Em D Em A7 Ḋ

M High Court says, "it's not our prob-lem", Washed their hands and walked a - way, At

A High Court says, "it's not our prob-lem", Washed their hands and walked a - way, At

B High Court says, "it's not our prob-lem", Washed their hands and walked a - way, At

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Bm F# Bm F#7 Bm F#sus F# G D Em6 D Em A7 Ḋ

M Church they tell us, "love thy neigh-bour", But my neigh-bour's are dy-ing day by day, *We*

A Church they tell us, "love thy neigh-bour", But my neigh-bour's are dy-ing day by day, *We*

B Church they tell us, "love thy neigh-bour", But my neigh-bour's are dy-ing day by day, *We*

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Chorus

Bm F# G Em7 F#7 Bm E7 F#7 Bm F#7 Bm

M *put them there, we need to care, Why don't we sim - ply bring them here! We*

A *put them there, we need to care, Why don't we sim - ply bring them here! We*

B *put them there, we need to care, Why don't we sim - ply bring them here! We*

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Bm F# *rit.* G Em7 F#7 ♩=80 Bm E7 F#7 Bm F#7 Bm F#7 Bm7

M *put them there, we ought to care, Why don't we sim-ply bring them here! bring them here!*

A *put them there, we ought to care, Why don't we sim-ply bring them here! bring them here!*

B *put them there, we ought to care, Why don't we sim-ply bring them here! bring them here!*