



**CHIC 1046**

## **“Desperado”**

The Eagles (1973)  
(Key of D)

**Called By: Tony Oxendine**

*(Tony Oxendine appears courtesy of Royal Records)*

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### **Opener**

#### **Sides Face Grand Square**

Desperado, why don't you come to your senses  
You've been out riding fences, for so long now **Allemande & Weave**  
Oh, you're a hard one, but you've got your reasons  
These things that are pleasing you, can hurt you somehow

#### **Figure: Twice for Heads and Twice for Sides**

Heads **Promenade** her half way, Sides **Square Thru** to four now  
Go all the way a **Right & Left Thru, Eight Chain 6** cross you do  
Don't you draw the queen of diamonds boy, **Swing** that girl and **Promenade** her home now  
You only want the ones that you can't get.

### **Middle Break**

#### **Sides Face Grand Square**

Desperado, oh you ain't getting no younger  
Your pain and your hunger, they're driving you home **Allemande & Weave**  
And freedom, oh freedom, well that's just some people talking  
Your prison is walking through this world all alone.

### **Closer**

#### **Sides Face Grand Square**

Desperado, why don't you come to your senses  
Come down from your fences, open the gate **Allemande & Weave**  
It may be raining, but there's a rainbow above you  
You better let somebody love you (let somebody love you), you better let somebody love you

### **Tag**

Before it's too late.

### **Music recorded at Jimmy Mac Productions, Ventura, CA**

Jim MacDonald – Musician/Engineer

Shauna Kaaria – Music Arrangement

Shauna Kaaria/Jim MacDonald – Background vocals

Shauna Kaaria - Producer

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