



## Crosby, Stills and Nash - Southern Cross

(Michael Curtis/Richard Curtis/Stephen Stills)

### Capo on 2nd fret

**G F C**

Got out of town on a boat gon' to southern islands.

**G F C**

Sailing a reach before a following sea.

**G F C**

She was making for the trades on the outside,

**G F C**

And the downhill run to Papeete.

**G F C**

Off the wind on this heading lie the Marquesas.

**G F C Am G**

We got eighty feet of waterline nicely making way.

**G F C**

In a noisy bar in Avalon, I tried to call you,

**G F C Am G G**

But on a midnight watch I realized why twice you ran away. (think about)

**F C F G**

Think about how many times I have fallen.

**F C F G**

Spirits are using me; larger voices callin'.

F C F G

What heaven brought you and me cannot be forgotten.

C F G C F G

I have been around the world, lookin' for that woman-girl

C F G

Who knows love can endure.

GG FF CCCC

And you know it will.

GG FF CCCG

And you know it will

G F C

When you see the Southern Cross for the first time,

G F C

You understand now why you came this way.

G F C

'Cause the truth you might be runnin' from is so small,

G F C Am G

But it's as big as the promise, the promise of a comin' day.

G F C

So I'm sailing for tomorrow. My dreams are a-dying.

G F C Am G

And my love is an anchor tied to you, tied with a silver chain.

F C

I have my ship, and all her flags are a-flying.

G F C Am G G

She is all that I have left, and music is her name. (think about)

F C F G

Think about how many times I have fallen.

F C F G

Spirits are using me; larger voices callin'.

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G F C

So we cheated and we lied and we tested.

G F C Am G

And we never failed to fail; it was the easiest thing to do.

G F C

You will survive being bested.

G F C Am G

Somebody fine will come along make me forget about loving you

GG FF CCCC / GG FF CCCG

In the Southern Cross.

