Bm(Am capo 2) 3:45 Riverheart

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strumAmOh she's a snake and she's wearing silver  $\operatorname{\mathsf{Em}}$ White water mocking me when I want gold DmShe winds around me and she makes me shiver  $\operatorname{\mathsf{Em}}$ Pours through my hands but so hard to hold I never saw myself as much of a dreamer Em7 Just here to grab my stake and then get a wife  ${\sf Dm}$ I'd never seen the way she looks in winter Now I'm a madman and the river's my life pickAnd she rises and she falls and she shines And she whispers all her treasure will be mine G6 And she smiles like the sun, so fine Then her face turns away And she's running down the side of the hill And I'll die if I don't catch her and I know I never will G6 And she teases me and haunts me still Em7 In the chill of the day strum $\operatorname{\mathsf{Am}}$ Oh Mama, your little boy's lost AmGI came for the money without knowing the cost  $\mathsf{A}\mathrm{m}$ I've got more now than I thought to boast, Em7 But I still have to stay. DmHave you ever seen her banks in summer Bright gold and wildflowers sharing space? Laughed in the valley and then heard her answer

Followed her curves into a shadowed place?

 $\mathsf{Dm}$ Don't try to tell me of the girls I'm missing I never thought that you could understand DmI'll stand beside her with the sun's own blessing Em7AmI'll feel her icy current ring my hand. CHORUSAmHot autumn droughts have brought her hard to heel, Her sweating sides are strewn with gold to take. DmI leave it there to watch her twist and wheel,  $\operatorname{\mathsf{Em}}$ Dig down to cavern beds for life's sweet sake. DmOh mama, don't you weep and worry, Em7 Am When rangers come to say I can't be found.  ${\sf Dm}$ I am her man and I am going with her, Em7I'm gonna follow her, deep in the ground. And she'll rise, and she'll fall, and she'll shine And she'll whisper all her treasure will be mine And she'll smile like the sun, so fine, Then her face turns away. C And she'll run down the side of the hill And I'll laugh when I don't catch her 'cause I know I never will G6 AmAnd she'll tease me and she'll haunt me still Em7In the chill of the day, G  $\mathsf{A}\mathrm{m}$ Oh mama, your boy is a man,  $\mathsf{Am} \; \mathsf{G}$ Got all I wanted in the palm of my hand  $\mathsf{A}\mathrm{m}$ And I know you still don't understand Em7  $\mathsf{A}\mathrm{m}$ But I'm going to stay Em7 To the end of the day.