PEARL / TOKYO SALSA (PARTS I, II, & III)

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VERSE 1 (four times with music only before lyrics):
                        rest Dsus4 D & 4 & 1
                                                                     Dsus2
                          &
                                                    2 & 3
I' ve got a box . . .
                                          in my heart
                                                                     that we can't
talk about.
I've got a pearl . . .
                                          in my soul
                                                                     nobody
knows.
G(add12)
                                           C(add9&12)
Time heals
                                          all wounds (or
                          rest
D
                                    Dsus4 D
                                                                     Dsus2
so I was told).
G(add12)
                                          C(add9&12)
But pearl or pearl
                                          I don't know if I
                          rest
                                     Dsus4 D
                                                                     Dsus2
want it to go.
VERSE 2:
Like a piece of sand, stuck in a clam, it blooms to a pearl.
Stuck in my craw for way too long, are you.
Pearl's a pearl or pearl's a sore.
My pearl's both and more.
"PART I" (do four times) (note: bass really plays the root and quitar picks the q and d notes
onlv):
F(add6&9)
                                     G(add12)
           C(add9&12)
                       G(add12)
b|--3---3-------|
VERSE 3 (do four times before lyrics):
The energy released in a decomposing tree's the same
as the energy released in a burning log in your fireplace.
There's a spark burning inside me.
Smoldering . . .
"PART I": (do 16 times):
(1, 2, 3, and 4 instrumental) (5) I remember the parking lot. I remember the dock. (6) I
remember the cop. I remember the mountain top (with the radio on). (7) I remember the PT-boat
with its early stereo. (8) The Beatles on and me singing along. (9) How long will I have to
sing this song? (10) How long will this go on? (11) If I were a camera could I take a picture
of my soul by (12) pointing myself at a mirror and holding my shutter open? (13) Oh, Tokyo
salsa! (14) Tokyo salsa! (15 and 16 instrumental)
"PART II" (do sixteen times; note: hand claps fall on the 7 counts):
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
      Gmaj7 Am
                   G7
                           С
"PART III" (so twenty-two times, speeding up):
            C C C/B C/A
  Am
end on G chord
CHORDS USED IN THIS SONG:
      Dsus4 Dsus2 G(add12) C(add9&12) F(add6&9) G
                                               Gmaj7
                                                       Am
                                                              G7
                                                                    С
                                                                          C/B
                                                                                C/A
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|1|||| |1|||3
                          111111
                                  111111
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