

Universal Soldier

Donovan

E F# B Asm
He's five foot two and he's six feet four

E F# B
He fights with missiles and with spears

E F# B Asm
He's all of thirty-one and he's only seventeen

C#m F#
He's been a soldier for a thousand years

E F# B Asm
He's a catholic, a hindu, an atheist, a jain,

E F# B
A buddhist and a baptist and a jew

E F#
And he knows he shouldn't kill

B Asm
And he knows he always will

C#m F#
Kill you for me, my friend and me for you

E F# B Asm
And he's fighting for Canada, he's fighting for France

E F# B B7
He's fighting for the U.S.A.

E F# B Asm
He's fighting for the Russians and he's fighting for Japan

C#m F#
And he thinks we'll put an end to war this way

E F# B Asm
And he's fighting for democracy, he's fighting for the reds

E F# B B7
He says it's for the peace of all

E F# B Asm
He's the one who must decide who's to live and who's to die

C#m F#
And he never sees the writing on the wall

E F# B Asm
But without him how would Hitler have condemned him at Dachau

E F# B B7
Without him Caesar would have stood alone

E F# B Asm
He's the one who gives his body as a weapon of the war

C#m F#
And without him all this killing can't go on

E F# B Asm
He's the universal soldier and he really is to blame

E F# B
His orders come from far away no more

E C#m
They come from here and there and you and me

B Asm
And brothers can't you see

C#m
This is not the way we put the end to war