

THE RIVER GARTH BROOKS

[Intro]

1 2 3 4
|G-3 A/G-1|G-3 A/G-1|G-3 A/G-1|G-3 A/G-1|
5 6 7 8
|G-3 A/G-1|G-3 A/G-1|G-3 A/G-1|G-3 A/G-1| |D-3 Dsus2-1| D-4|

[Verse]

 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 G-2 D-2
You know a dream is like a river, ever changing as it flows.
 G-2 D/F#-2 Em-2 A-2
And a dreamer's just a vessel that must follow where it goes
 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2
Trying to learn from what's behind you
 Bm-2 G-2
And never knowing what's in store
 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2
Makes each day a constant battle
 A-2 D-4
Just to stay between the shores.

[Chorus]

 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 G-2 D-2
And I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry,
 G-2 D/F#-2 Em-2 A-2
Like a bird upon the wind these waters are my sky
 D-1 G-1 D-2 G-4
I'll never reach my destination if I never try
 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 A-2 |D-3 Dsus2-1| D-4|
So I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry

[Verse]

 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 G-2 D-2
Too many times we stand aside and let the waters slip away
 G-2 D/F#-2 Em-2 A-2
'Til what we put off 'til tomorrow has now become today
 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 Bm-2 G-2
So don't you sit upon the shoreline and say you're satisfied
D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 A-2 D-4
Choose to chance the rapids and dare to dance the tide.

[Chorus]

 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 G-2 D-2
And I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry,
 G-2 D/F#-2 Em-2 A-2
Like a bird upon the wind these waters are my sky
 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 G-4
I'll never reach my destination if I never try
 D-1 Dsus4-1 D-2 A-2 |D-3 D/C#-1|
So I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry

[Bridge]

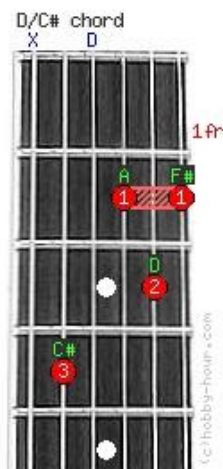
 Bm-2 G-2 D-2 G-2
And there's bound to be rough waters And I know I'll take some falls
 Em-2 D/F#-2
But with the good Lord as my captain
 G-2 A-2 (modulate to E)
I can make it through them all

[Chorus]

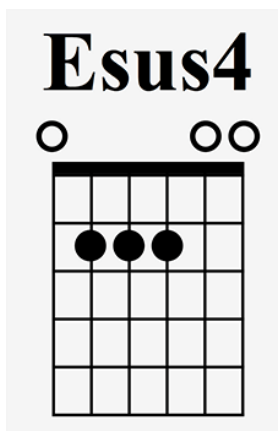
[E-4] [A-2] [E-2]
And I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry,
 [A-2] [E-2] [F#m-2] [B-2]
Like a bird upon the wind these waters are my sky
 E-1 Esus4-1 E-2 A-4
I'll never reach my destination if I never try
 E-1 Esus4-1 E-2 B-2 E-2 A-2
So I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry.
 E-1 Esus4-1 E-2 B-2 A-3 B/A-1 A-3 B/A-1 E-4
Yes I will sail my vessel 'til the river runs dry. 'til the river runs dry

E

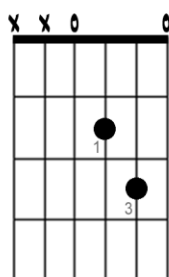
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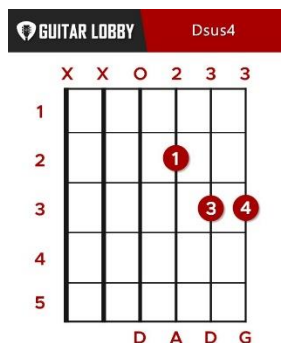
D/C#



B/A



Dsus2



Dsus4