

A Forest In The Rain *(Latin/samba beat)*

(By Tom Chapin) - *in the key of E (capo on 2nd fret)*

D **A7** **D**
It's hot in here... forest in the rain.

D **A7** **D**
And wet in here... tropical domain.

A7
Hot in here...

D
Wet in here...

G **D** **A7** **D**
Come on down and sweat in here; a forest in the rain.

(instrumental of previous line)

D **A7** **D**
A million plants... forest in the rain.

D **A7** **D**
A zillion ants... tropical domain.

A7
Lots of plants...

D
Scads of aunts...

G **D** **A7** **D**
Across the forest floor, they dance; a forest in the rain *[no pause]*

A7 **D**
High up in the canopy, at the top of the tallest tree,

A7 **D**
The monkey and kinkajou... are hiding from you.

A7 **D**
They eat and they sleep and play, and sit on thee branch all day.

A7 **D** **A7** **D**
They laugh at you on the ground, and never, never come down.

(instrumental break of previous 2 lines)

D **A7** **D**
Every night... forest in the rain.

D **A7** **D**
Bats take flight... tropical domain.

A7 **D**
Every night... bats take flight.

G **D** **A7** **D**
Then, back to bed, before daylight; a forest in the rain.

(instrumental of previous line)

D **A7** **D**
Hummingbirds... forest in the rain.

D **A7** **D**
Don't know the words... tropical domain.

A7 **D**
Hummingbirds... don't know the words.

G **D** **A7** **D**
So, they hum along with other birds; a forest in the rain.

(instrumental of previous line)

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D **A7** **D**
The green and the golden frog... are having a dialog.
A7 **D**
Look out for the crocodile... I don't like his smile.
A7 **D**
To e-ve-ry tiny moth... to e-ve-ry three-toed sloth,
A7 **D** **A7** **D**
To the bee in the honeycomb... the rainforest is home.

(instrumental break of previous 2 lines)

D **A7** **D**
Every tree... forest in the rain.
D **A7** **D**
Says to me... tropical domain.
A7 **D**
Every tree... says to me...
G **D** **A7** **D**
Let us grow, and let us be... a forest in the rain.
G **G** **A7** **D**
Let us grow, and let us be... a forest in the rain.

Instrumental of "Let us grow and let us be")... a forest in the rain.

(Instrumental ending)