

Wheels

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Text Adapted from Ezekiel 1

Cm G
Beyond the river I saw a windstorm coming from the north
Ab G
Giant clouds, flashing lighting, in the center was a fire of
Fm G Fm
Brilliant glowing metal, four creatures standing straight legged as a calf
G Cm
But as a man with four faces and four wings

G Ab
Touching wings they never turned as they moved straight ahead
G Fm
Face of a lion, ox, an eagle, man and everywhere they sped
G
Shooting blazing fire, darting back and forth like lighting
Fm G
While beside them on the ground there was a wheel, there was a wheel

Ab
A wheel
Eb
There was a wheel
Ab
There were wheels inside wheels
Eb
Sparkling, intersecting wheels
Fm
When the creatures moved they moved,
Cm
When they're standing still, they're still
G
But when the creatures rose,
Ab
They rose, Oh
Eb Ab Eb
the Wheels, Oh the Wheels

Cm G Ab
 Spread above their heads was a sparkling ice expanse it was awesome,
 G Fm
 All their wings were stretched out covering up their bodies and the sky,
 G
 And when they waved them I could hear the
 Fm G
 Roar of rushing water, like the tumult of an army, like the
 Fm G Fm
 Voice of the Almighty, like a spirit, there's a spirit in this blazing fire,
 G
 I know it, there's a spirit living, living in the

Ab
 Wheels
 Eb
 There's a Spirit in the wheels
 Ab
 They're covered in eyes,
 Eb
 Sparkling eyes, Intersecting wheels
 Fm
 They do not spin but oh they move
 Cm
 Something's living in their grooves
 G
 'Cause when the creatures rose,
 Ab
 They rose, Oh
 Eb Ab Eb
 the Wheels, Oh the Wheels

Cm
 Then came a voice from the expanse over the heads of the
 Eb
 Creatures, standing still, lowering their wings
 Cm G
 I saw, high above, a throne of sapphire,
 G7
 Seated on the throne was a
 Ab
 Figure like a man

Eb
 But above his waist, there was only glowing metal
Ab
G
 The rest of him was full of fire, surrounded by a light, a brilliant light
Fm
 Like a rainbow in the clouds, it was so radiant and when I saw it
G
Cm
 When I saw it, I fell facedown.

Cm Ddim Cm/Eb Fm G
 (Instrumental)

Ab
 Oh, but the wheels
Eb
 Did I tell you about the wheels
Ab
 There were wheels inside wheels
 Eb
 Sparkling, intersecting
 Ab
 Wheels
Eb
 So many wheels
Ab
 They were covered in eyes,
Eb
 Sparkling eyes, Intersecting wheels
 Bb
 They did not spin but oh they moved
 Cm
 Something's living in their grooves
 G7b9/D
 Eb
 Cuase when spirit rose, they Rose
Bb
 They did not spin but oh they moved
 Cm
 Something's living in their grooves
G
 'Cause when spirit rose,
Ab
Eb
Ab
Eb
Ab
Eb
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 They rose, oh the wheels, oh the wheels, the wheels...