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Dave Mallett, 1975

GARDEN SONG "C"

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C F-----C F-----G7 C
 Inch by inch row by row gonna make this garden grow
 F-----G7 C-----Am7 [0000] F G7
 All it takes is a rake and-a hoe and-a piece of fertile ground

C F-----C F-----G7 C
 Inch by inch row by row someone bless these seeds I sow
 F-----G7 C-----Am7 F-----G7 C-----G7
 Someone warm them from be low 'til-the rain comes tumbling down

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C F-----C F-----G7 C
 Pulling weeds and picking stones man is made of dreams and bones
 F-----G7 C-----Am7 F G7
 Feel the need to grow my own 'cause-the time is close at hand

C F-----C F-----G7 C
 Grain for grain sun and rain find my way in nature's chain
 F-----G7 C-----Am7 F-----G7 C-----G7
 Tune my body and my brain to-the music from the land

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C F-----C F-----G7 C
 Plant your rows straight and long temper them with prayer and song
 F-----G7 C-----Am7 F G7
 Mother Earth will make you strong if-you give her love and care

C F-----C F-----G7 C
 Old crow watching hungry ly from his perch in yonder tree
 F-----G7 C-----Am7 F-----G7 C
 In my garden I'm as free as-that feathered thief up there

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 F--slowly--G7 C--slowly--Am7\ x F--slowly--G7 C1
 Someone warm them from be low 'til-the rain comes tumbling down