

Bankrupt on Selling

Modest Mouse

Key: C

Time: 6/8

Chords: C, Am, Em, F maj7

Intro

C **Am**
1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 -
Em **F maj7**
1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 -

Verse 1

C
Well all the apostles, they're sittin' in swings
Am
Sayin', "I'd sell off my savior for a set of new rings
Em
and some sandals with the style of straps
F maj7
that cling best to the era."

Verse 2

C
So all of the businessers in unlimited hell
Am
Where they buy, and they sell,
Em
and they sell all their trash to each other;
But they're sick of it all,
F maj7
and they're bankrupt on sellin'

Verse 3

C
And all of the angels
They'd sell off yer soul
Am
For a set of new wings and anything gold
Em
They remember the people they loved - their old friends
F maj7
And I've seen through 'em all,
Seen through 'em all,
C
Seen through most everything...

Bridge

(still C)

Am

All the people you knew were the actors.

Em

All the people you knew...

F maj7

were the actors.

Break (repeat intro, but w/ melody)

Verse 4

C

Well, I'll go to college and I'll learn some big words

Am

and I'll talk real loud -

goddamn right I'll be heard!

Em

You'll remember the guy

F maj7

said all those big words he must'a learned in college!

Break (repeat intro, but w/ melody)

Verse 5

C

And it took a long time 'till I came clean with myself;

Am

I'd come clean out of love with my lover.

Em

I still love her.

Loved her more when she used to be sober,

F maj7

C

and I was kinder.