

Two Mothers

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Key of B, capo 7

E Esus E Esus
Two mothers cry today
A2 E
How precious a life that is swept away
A2 B4 C#m B4 A2
Blue eyes that peer on a world so bright
E B4
One set grayed by life's chances
A2 B4 E Esus E Esus
The other in awe of all life's granted

E Esus E Esus
Two mothers cry today
A2 E
A mix of joy and fear and sorrow
A2 B4 C#m B4 A2
One minute gone, another one borrowed
E B4
Breath of life and lungs expand
A2 B4 E Esus E Esus
and the stillness of a cold, dark hand

E Esus E Esus
Two mothers weep today
A2 E
As life passes through their veins
A2 B4 C#m B4 A2
As life is questioned in its pain
E B4
How a miracle, so tender, so small
A2 B4 E Esus E Esus
Could e'er exist amidst it all

E Esus E Esus
Two mothers love today
A2 E
One in hopes of what is to be
A2 E Esus E Esus
One of love in memory

E Esus E Esus E
Two mothers cry today