

## BEAT YOUR DRUM SLOWLY

standard tuning

If you're in need of some good wood  
You can find some in the forest  
From a tree that's been standing  
It's a strong one, you will know it  
Make it hollow  
Fill it with your soul

If you're in need of some good skin  
You can get some from an animal  
With a voice like a lion  
And the toughness of an old bull  
Stretch it tight  
Over that hole and

Beat your drum slowly  
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If you're in need of a mallet  
Use your left hand, use your right hand  
You won't need any teacher  
Just desire, nothing more than that  
Flesh and bone are  
All you need to know to

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There is a forest  
There is a beast  
And there's a voice for those who  
Think they cannot speak

If you're in need of a rhythm  
Just be quiet, you will hear it  
Like a dream you remember in your sleep  
You are always so very near it  
Listen, down deep, and  
Let your fingers roll

Beat your drum slowly...  
Beat your drum slowly  
Beat your drum slowly