Suzanne.

Leonard Cohen.

Rythmique : Bas – Bas – Haut – Haut – Bas – Haut

[Verse 1]

 E

Suzanne takes you down to her place near the river

 F#m

You can hear the boats go by, you can spend the night beside her

 E

And you know that she's half-crazy, but that's why you wanna be there

 G#m A

And she feeds you tea and oranges that come all the way from China

 E F#m

And just when you mean to tell her that you have no love to give her

 E F#m

Then she gets you on her wavelength, and she lets the river answer

 E

That you've always been her lover

[Chorus 1]

 G#m A

And you want to travel with her, and you want to travel blind

 E F#m

And you know she will trust you for you've touched her perfect body

 E

With your mind

[Verse 2]

 E

And Jesus was a sailor when he walked upon the water

 F#m

And he spent a long time watching from his lonely wooden tower

 E

And when he knew for certain only drowning men could see him

 G#m A

He said: "All men will be sailors then until the sea shall free them"

 E F#m

But he himself was broken long before the sky would open

 E F#m

Forsaken, almost human, he sank beneath your wisdom

 E

Like a stone

[Chorus 2]

 G#m A

And you want to travel with him, and you want to travel blind

 E F#m

And you think maybe you'll trust him for he's touched your perfect body

 E

With his mind

[Verse 3]

 E

Now Suzanne takes your hand, and she leads you to the river

 F#m

She is wearing rags and feathers from the Salvation Army counter

 E

And the sun pours down like honey on Our Lady of the Harbour

 G#m A

And she shows you where to look among the garbage and the flowers

 E F#m

There are heroes in the seaweed, there are children in the morning

 E F#m

They are leaning out for love, and they will lean that way forever

 E

While Suzanne holds the mirror

[Chorus 3]

 G#m A

And you want to travel with her, and you want to travel blind

 E F#m

And you know that you can trust her for she's touched your perfect body

 E

With her mind