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(A Life in Three Counting Rhymes)

Am
 One for a candle
 E Am
 Two for a crown
 Am C B E
 Three to go up
 E C B Am
 Four to come down

Am Asus2 Am G6 Am Am
 Five for the gifts that the Raven gave

Am C C G G7 Am
 Six for the ones that you cannot save

Am Am E G G7 Am
 Seven for the sleepers deep in the grave

Dm C G6 G7 Am
 Eight to know when it is time to be brave

Am Am C G6 G7 G G7 Am
 Nine to know when it is time to be weak

Am Dm Dsus2 Am Em C Am
 And ten when you're close to the answers you seek

Dm G E
 The clouded sky is bruised to gray
 Dm Am Em
 The broken road led you away
 Am
 From home

One for sticks and
Two for stones
Three is for blood
Four is for bones
Five for the things you cannot keep
Six for the names you call in your sleep
Seven for the seeds you sow and you reap
Eight for the wonders that cause you to weep
Nine for the paths that you did not choose
Ten for the things that you cannot lose

The clouded sky is bruised to blue
The broken road is winding true
To home

One for the lost and
Two for the found
Three to be free
Four to be bound
Five for the words you never say
Six for the times that you chose not to stay
Seven for the joy you find on your way
Eight for the debts that you have to pay
Nine to mourn all of the bridges you burned
And ten to give thanks for the lessons you learned

The clouded sky is bruised to black
The broken road will guide you back
To home