Tears of Rage

Capo 3

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D                 Hm             G             Dm
We carried you in our arms on Independence Day
C                        G                       D
 And now we waste your legacy and let it go away
                      Hm                G                Em
Oh, what dear father 'neath the sun could treat a daughter so?
C                     G                D
 To leave behind a wrecked world as if we didn't know

     (Chorus)
     F#7              Hm
      Tears of rage, tears of grief
     G                      D
      Why must we be our children's children’s thieves?
     F#7                    Hm
      All the things, we failed to do
     G     Em      D
      And life is brief

We were pointed the way to go                    D  Hm
A long long time ago                             G  Dm
but in contempt of science and sense             C  G
We let emissions grow                            D
And what we leave for our children's children now
a world of floods and droughts
of flaming forests and weather extremes
of ice caps thinning out

        (Chorus)

It was all very painful                          D   Hm
When they went out to release                    G   Dm
All the false messages                           C   G
Which we never could believe                     D
And now the heart is filled with stone
As if it was a curse
What kind of father's care is this
Which goes from bad to worse?

        (Chorus)
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