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For Katy

*last 4 lines of refrain inst. as intro.*

A Asus2 A  
 Hey, girl, are you weeping  
 'Cause it's too rainy for playing outside?  
 D A  
 Let's turn on the magic carpet  
 E7 E6 E7  
 And go for an afternoon ride...  
 A D A  
 I know a couple of games to play  
 D5 D Dsus2 A  
 And some places you haven't yet seen;  
 D Cmaj7  
 Come visit your daddy's world  
 E7 A  
 on the other side of the screen.

D Dsus2 D5 D  
 I can't bring you the silver moon  
 A D  
 To hold in the palm of your hand;  
 A D Dsus2  
 But I can take you to a world I've made  
 A Asus2 E7  
 Out of dreams and a few grains of sand;  
 A D5 D  
 I can't buy you the stars to wear  
 A D  
 Like gems in your bonny brown hair;  
 A D Dsus2  
 All I have is a magic mirror  
 E7 A  
 And castles in the air.

A Asus2 A  
 Say hello to the creatures here:  
 D Dsus2 A  
 The walrus, the elephant too;  
 D A  
 Go visit the dragon's lair,  
 E7 E6 E7  
 He's waiting there for you...  
 A D A  
 Play cards with a magical deck;  
 D5 D Dsus2 A  
 Learn the names of the planets and stars;  
 D Cmaj7  
 Take a ride on a toy balloon,  
 E7 A  
 Or a rocket ship to Mars.

*Magpie:*

D Dsus2 D5 D  
 You can't bring me the silver moon  
 A D  
 To hold in the palm of my hand;  
 A D  
 But you can take me to a world you've  
 Dsus2  
 made  
 A Asus2 E7  
 Out of dreams and a few grains of sand;  
 A D5 D  
 You can't buy me the stars to wear  
 A D  
 Like gems in my bonny brown hair;  
 A D Dsus2  
 All we have is a magic mirror  
 E7 A  
 And castles in the air.

A Asus2 A  
 Come look through the window  
 D Dsus2 A  
 While I type in a magical rhyme.  
 D A  
 I'll show you where the hypercubes dance  
 E7 E6 E7  
 On the edges of space and time.  
 A D A  
 See the curliqued Mandelbrot set  
 D5 D Dsus2 A  
 Way down in the complex plane...  
 D Cmaj7  
 We'll forget about the world outside,  
 E7 A  
 The thunder and the rain.

D Dsus2 D5 D  
 I can't bring you the silver moon  
 A D  
 To hold in the palm of your hand;  
 A D Dsus2  
 But I can take you to a world I've made  
 A Asus2 E7  
 Out of dreams and a few grains of sand;  
 A D5 D  
 I can't buy you the stars to wear  
 A D  
 Like gems in your bonny brown hair;  
 A D Dsus2  
 All I have is a magic mirror  
 E7 A  
 And castles in the air.

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A Asus2 A  
 Do you wonder where your daddy goes  
 D Dsus2 A  
 When he's out of the house for the day?  
 D A  
 I walk through my magic mirror  
 E7 E6 E7  
 And travel far away  
 A D A  
 To my world where with numbers and words  
 D5 D Dsus2 A  
 I create things out of thin air;  
 D Cmaj7  
 There's magic in Daddy's world  
 E7 A  
 And I can take you there.

*Magpie:*

D Dsus2 D5 D  
 You can't bring me the silver moon  
 A D  
 To hold in the palm of my hand;  
 A D Dsus2  
 But you can take me to a world you've made  
 A Asus2 E7  
 Out of dreams and a few grains of sand;  
 A D5 D  
 You can't buy me the stars to wear  
 A D  
 Like gems in my bonny brown hair;  
 A D Dsus2  
 All we have is a magic mirror  
 E7 A  
 And castles in the air.

D Cmaj7  
 There's magic in Daddy's world  
 E7 A A\*  
 And I can take you there.

*end with A\* = EAEAC#A*

The imagery in v. 2 comes mostly from *Manhole*, a HyperCard game for kids on the Macintosh. I thought about calling this song "The Programmer's Daughter" but decided I'd leave that for Kanefsky.