

# The Town I Loved So Well

Chords for the main melody:

System 1: G D C G C G D

System 2: G D C G C G D G

System 3: C D G Em C Am D D7

Intro (red): G D C G C G D G

In my memory I will always see  
 The town that I have loved so well  
 Where our school played ball by the gasyard wall  
 And we laughed through the smoke and the smell  
 Going home in the rain, running up the dark lane  
 Past the jail and down behind the fountain  
 Those were happy days, in so many, many ways  
 In the town I loved so well

There was music there in the Derry air  
 Like a language that we could all understand  
 I remember the day that I earned my first pay  
 When I played in a small pick up band  
 There I spent my youth and to tell you the truth  
 I was sad to leave it all behind me  
 For I learned about life and I'd found a wife  
 In the town I loved so well

But when I returned how my eyes were burned  
 To see how a town could be brought to its knees  
 By the armoured cars and the bombed out bars  
 And the gas that hangs on to every breeze  
 Now the army's installed by that old gasyard wall  
 And that damned barbed wire gets higher and higher  
 With their tanks and guns oh my God what have they done  
 To the town I loved so well

Now the music's gone but they still carry on  
 For their spirit's been bruised, never broken  
 They will not forget, but their hearts are set  
 On tomorrow and peace once again  
 For what's done is done and what's won is won  
 And what's lost is lost and gone forever  
 I can only pray, for a bright, brand new day  
 In the town I loved so well

Akkordeon Solo 1/2 Strofe