

FIELDS OF ATHENRY

Introduction: C/// G/// C/// C///

C F C - G
 By a lonely prison wall I heard a young girl cal...ling
 C F G
 Micheal they are taking you away
 C F
 For you stole Trevelyn's corn
 C G
 So the young might see the morn.
 C F - C
 Now a prison ship lies waiting in the bay.

C F C Am
Low lie the Fields of Athenry
 C G
Where once we watched the small free birds fly.
 C F C G
Our love was on the wing we had dreams and songs to sing
 C F - C
It's so lonely 'round the Fields of Athenry.

C F C - G
 By a lonely prison wall I heard a young man cal...ling
 C F G
 Nothing matters Mary when you're free,
 C F
 Against the Famine and the Crown
 C G
 I rebelled they cut me down
 C F - C
 Now you must raise our child with dignity.

CHORUS

C F C - G
 By a lonely harbor wall She watched the last star fal...ling
 C F G
 As the prison ship sailed out against the sky
 C F
 Sure she'll wait and hope and pray
 C G
 For her love in Botany Bay
 C F - C
 It's so lonely 'round the Fields of Athenry.

CHORUS (last line twice)