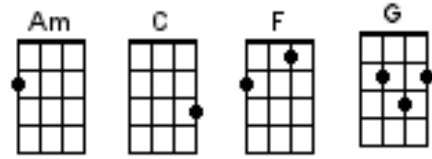


Dirty Old Town

Performed by the Pogues, written by Ewan McColl

Strum: D Du Udu (Shuffle feel, very open and loose)



Intro: **Harmonica and banjo**

Verse 1 I met my [C] love, by the gas works wall
Dreamed a [F] dream, by the old [C] canal
I kissed my girl, by the factory wall
Dirty old [G] town, dirty old [Am] town [stop]

Verse 2 Clouds are [C] drifting across the moon
Cats are [F] prowlin on their [C] beats
Springs a girl from the streets at night
Dirty old [G] town, dirty old [Am] town [stop]

Instrumental **Harmonica played over Verse 1 Chords**

Verse 3 I heard a [C] siren from the dock
Saw a [F] train set the night on [C] fire
I smelled the spring on the smokey wind
Dirty old [G] town, dirty old [Am] town [stop]

Verse 4 I'm going to [C] make me a big sharp axe
Shining [F] steel tempered in the [C] fire
I'll chop you down like an old dead tree
Dirty old [G] town, dirty old [Am] town [stop]

Refain I met my [C] love, by the gas works wall
Dreamed a [F] dream, by the old [C] canal
I kissed my girl, by the factory wall
Dirty old [G] town, dirty old [Am] town [stop]

Outro Dirty old [G] town, dirty old [Am] town
Harmonica slowing