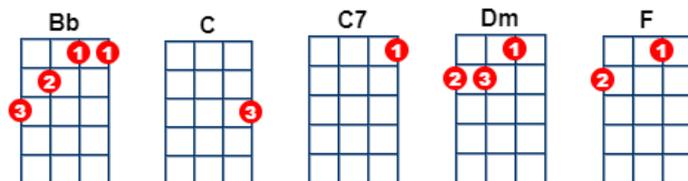


The Fields of Athenry – The Dubliners



By a **[F]** lonely prison wall I **[Bb]** heard a young girl
[F] call-**[C]**ing,
[F] “Michael they have **[Bb]** taken you **[C]** away!
For you **[F]** stole Trevelyn's **[Bb]** corn,
So, the **[F]** young might see the **[C]** morn,
Now a prison ship lies **[C7]** waiting in the **[F]** bay.”

***[F]** Low **[Bb]** lie the **[F]** fields of Athen-**[Dm]**ry,
Where **[F]** once we watched the **[Dm]** small free bird **[C]** fly,
our **[F]** love was on the **[Bb]** wing,
We had **[F]** dreams and songs **[C]** to sing,
It's so lonely round the **[C7]** fields of Athen-**[F]**ry.*

By a **[F]** lonely prison wall I **[Bb]** heard a young man
[F] call-**[C]**ing,
[F] “Nothing matters, **[Bb]** Mary, when you're **[C]** free.
Against the **[F]** famine and the **[Bb]** Crown,
I rebelled, they **[F]** cut me **[C]** down,
Now you must raise our **[C7]** child with digni-**[F]**ty.”

***[F]** Low **[Bb]** lie the **[F]** fields of Athen-**[Dm]**ry,
Where **[F]** once we watched the **[Dm]** small free bird **[C]** fly,
our **[F]** love was on the **[Bb]** wing,
We had **[F]** dreams and songs **[C]** to sing,
It's so lonely round the **[C7]** fields of Athen-**[F]**ry.*

By a **[F]** lonely harbour wall she **[Bb]** watched the last star
[F] fall-**[C]**ing,
As that **[F]** prison ship sailed **[Bb]** out against the **[C]** sky,
For she'll **[F]** live in hope and **[Bb]** pray,
For her **[F]** love in Botany **[C]** Bay,
It's so lonely round the **[C7]** fields of Athen-**[F]**ry.

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(Outro – all one stroke chords)

[F] Low **[Bb]** lie the **[F]** fields of Athen-**[Dm]**ry,
Where **[F]** once we watched the **[Dm]** small free bird **[C]** fly,
our **[F]** love was on the **[Bb]** wing,
We had **[F]** dreams and songs **[C]** to sing,
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