

Goodnight Irene

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Chorus:

[G] Irene good[D7]night Irene good[G]night
[G] Goodnight I[G7]rene Good[C]night I[Am]rene
I'll [D7] see you in my [G] dreams

[G] Last Saturday night I got [D7] married
[D7] Me and my wife settled [G] down
[G] Now me and my [G7] wife are [Am] parted
Gonna [D7] take another stroll down[G]town [D7]

Chorus

[G] Sometimes I live in the [D7] country
[D7] Sometimes I live in [G] town
[G] Sometimes I [G7] take a great [C] notion [Am]
To [D7] jump in the river and [G] drown [D7]

Chorus

[G] I love Irene God [D7] knows I do
[D7] Love her till the seas run [G] dry
[G] If Irene [G7] turns her [C] back on [Am]me
I'm [D7] gonna take morphine and [G] die [D7]

Chorus

[G] Stop ramblin' stop [D7] gamblin'
[D7] Stop stayin' out late at [G] night
[G] Go home to your [G7] wife and your [C] family [Am]
Stay [D7] there by the fireside [G] bright [D7]

Chorus

